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The Legislators Are Sick and They Don't Know Why.

A LONG LIST OF SERIOUS AILMENTS.

Alameda County Thrown in With Colusa—The Superfluous Commissions. McCall's Amendment.

SACRAMENTO, February 19, 1891.

There seems to be a fatality attaching to the present Legislature. Sickness and death hang upon its heels. Nearly every day there is an announcement that a member is ill or is kept away by illness in his family. To begin with, Senator Pond of Butte died before taking his seat. Senator Seawell of Mendocino tottered on the brink for some time with pneumonia, and is still confined to his room. Senator Flint of San Benito is now in the grip of the same disease. Senator Carpenter was seriously ill for several days, but has resumed his seat. Senator Hamill buried his wife a few days ago. Senator Wilson of Tehama and Senator Campbell of Siskiyou are both reported seriously ill in Oakland. Senator Hecock of Santa Barbara was called from his duties for a time by the illness of his sister, who is recovering, however. Senator Byrnes of San Mateo has not been well since the session began. Senator Preston of Nevada was kept out of his seat by sickness for several days. Senator Langford of San Joaquin left on Friday, saying he was not feeling well, and has not yet returned. So much for the upper House. A column might be written about the ailments of the Assemblymen and their families. The Alameda delegation may be taken as an instance of the woes prevailing among us. Mr. McCall was summoned to the bedside of his daughter. Mr. Fowler's mother was so ill that he was sent for. Mr. Cram's wife and children were ill for weeks. Mr. Durner of Solano buried his mother since the opening of the session—and so the list might be extended, almost every member furnishing his paragraph. This condition of things, taken in connection with the recent prostration of Governor Markham, is making the superstitious look inquiringly for the Jonah or hoodoo. In the Senate this distinction is awarded to the poor ventilation.

Alameda county seems destined to go with Colusa, Lake, Yolo, Solano and Contra Costa in the Third Congressional district, notwithstanding the protest of the Alameda delegation. The Republican caucus decided that way last night. Colusa, Lake and Yolo are Democratic, Solano is mighty uncertain, and Contra Costa's Republican majority is not o'er large. So, on an off year Alameda county Republicans might be called upon to hand all their energies to prevent some rustling Democrat from carrying off the Congressional honors. Still, on the Cleveland-Harrison vote there is 2400 Republican majority—a fair margin.

It looks to look as though the Assembly investigation of the various Commissions of the State would come to naught. No report has yet been presented, though Shanahan says the committee will favor consolidating several Commissions in the State Agricultural Society. Unless a bill relating to the matter is sent in before Friday night it cannot be sent in without two-thirds consent, the time for the presentation of bills expiring at that time. Chairman Brusie of the Committee has obtained an itemized statement from S. P. Maslin showing how the seven thousand and odd dollars was frittered away in ex-Governor Waterman's farcical investigation of the State Prison affairs. J. N. E. Wilson obtained $1500 as an attorney's fee, and the Secretary, stenographer and bailiff and expert gobbled most of the balance.

Speaker Coombs yesterday made an effort to cut down the appropriation for Agricultural District No. 1 (San Francisco and Alameda) from $7000 to $5000, as a start on a general cut all along the line; but the Assembly was not with him. He was beaten on the first proposition, and then gave up. Ames tackled him rather hotly. The "annual re-imbursement of the University of California" was stricken from the bill.

The bill appropriating $300,000 for the World's Fair exhibit ran the gauntlet of all sorts of amendments in the Senate yesterday and came through untouched. The Democrats rather massed themselves against the bill, Goucher, Mead, Berry and Ostrom leading in the attacks on it, with assistance from Crandall of Santa Clara. It will come up for passage tomorrow.

The Senate yesterday passed McCall's Constitutional amendment providing for the issuing of forty year bonds for public improvements. As this has now passed both Houses it will be voted on by the people. It provides as follows:

No county, city, town, township, Board of Education or school district shall incur any indebtedness or liability in any manner, or for any purpose, exceeding in any year the income and revenue provided for it for such year, without the assent of two-thirds of the qualified electors thereof voting at an election to be held for that purpose nor unless, before or at the time of incurring such indebtedness, provision shall be made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on such indebtedness as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof on or before maturity, which shall not exceed forty years from the time of contracting the same. Any indebtedness or liability incurred contrary to this provision shall be void.

The Senate proposes to incorporate the Barry Contempt bill into a Constitutional Amendment. Yesterday it passed Goucher's Freedom of Speech Amendment, which reads as follows, the portion in brackets representing the change:

Every citizen may freely speak, write, and publish his sentiments on all subjects, being responsible for the abuse of that right. No law shall be passed to restrain or abridge the liberty of speech or of the press [and no court Judge, or judicial officer shall, upon any pretext, punish any person for any speech, statement, or publication, not made in the immediate presence of a court while in session, and actually interfering with its proceedings except for criminal libel, after conviction thereof by a jury, as hereinafter provided]. In all criminal prosecutions for libels, the truth may be given in evidence to the jury; and if it shall appear to the jury that the matter charged as libelous is true, and was published with good motives and for justifiable ends, the party shall be acquitted; and the jury shall have the right to determine the law and the fact. Indictments found, or information filed, for public offenses in newspapers shall be tried in the county where such newspapers have their publication office, or in the county where the party alleged to be libeled resided at the time of the alleged publication, unless the place of trial shall be changed for a good cause.

Louis Gottschall is here again. Milton Unger of Fruit Vale has been in Sacramento for a few days. Tonight the Cameron-Glascock-Choice investigation is supposed to go on again. HAMILTON.

THE ALLEGED JACK

Denies That He Owned the Bloody Knife

LONDON, February 19.—The steamship fireman, Sadler, who was remanded for further examination on a charge of murdering the woman known as "Carroty Nell" in Whitechapel, has written a letter to a member of the union to which he belongs. In this communication Sadler asks his fellow unionists to get the newspaper press to cease declaring that the police are quashing evidence favorable to him with the object of hurrying his conviction. Sadler denies buying or selling the knife stained with human blood which the police claim to have traced into his possession.

INGALLS RESIGNS

The Office of President Pro Tem., of the Senate.

WASHINGTON, February 19.—Ingalls who re-occupied the Vice-President's chair as presiding officer, pro tem., resigned the office in a neat speech, in which he spoke of the honor the Senate had conferred upon him in electing him to that position. His resignation will take effect on the election of his successor.

THE SPEAKER ON DECK.

Recovered from His Cold—A Relief Bill.

WASHINGTON, February 19.—Speaker Reed, having recovered from his temporary indisposition, called the House to order this morning. The Senate bill was passed for the relief of settlers on certain lands in the southern part of Iowa. The Senate bill to increase the pension of General Powell to $72 per month was passed.

URGENCY BILL.

Symptoms That the Session is Drawing to a Close.

The State Funded Debt—An Appropriation for Folsom Dam—The Ballot Reform Bills.

SACRAMENTO, February 19.—The first hour of the session in the Senate was devoted to discussing the proposition of making bills of urgency and taking them up out of order. The bill relating to the funded debt of the State was amended so that the interest was payable in April and October, instead of January and June, also amended so that the sale of bonds shall be advertised simply in San Francisco and Sacramento, was read a second time and ordered to engrossment.

A number of bills passed under this rule. The most important one was to appropriate $26,000 for skilled labor on Folsom Dam. Recess.

THE ASSEMBLY.

In the Assembly Gould made a motion to have the six bills relating to ballot reform placed upon the special file. Lost.

DULL AND STEADY.

With Few Changes From the Prices of the Opening.

NEW YORK, February 19.—Bar silver, 98¾. Money on call close at 1@1¼ per cent. The stock market was dull and steady throughout the day, closing at insignificant changes from the opening.

Four per cent coupons	120⅝
Pacific Sixes	109
Central Pacific	39
Atchison	27⅞
Burlington	83
Denver & Rio Grande	18¾
Northern Pacific	28⅞
Northern Pacific preferred	72¾
Northwestern	106½
New York Central	101¾
Oregon Navigation	75
North American	17⅞
Pacific Mail	38⅝
Chicago & Rock Island	86¾
St. Paul & Omaha	74½
Texas Pacific	14¼
Union Pacific	44
Wells, Fargo & Co	140
Western Union	80⅝

HAMPTON DID NOT CONVEY.

A Transaction Concerning Land in Humboldt.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 19.—The Pacific Lumber Company has sued William Gaze Jr., administrator of the estate of John Hampton, to quiet title to 440 acres in township 1 north, range 1 east, Humboldt meridian. The land was purchased by Charles Vilas in 1888, in the name of Hampton. Hampton's name was used, the plaintiff says, simply for convenience sake, and the money paid for the land was furnished by the plaintiff. Hampton never conveyed the property to the lumber company, as it was understood he would.

ONLY AMERICAN CITIZENS

Will be Employed on the World's Fair Work.

CHICAGO, February 19.—A Chicago squad of carpenters resumed work on the World's Fair buildings at Jackson Park this morning and were not molested. Men will be out to work grading next Monday. The contractors propose to employ only American citizens, and this, it is believed, will avert any further trouble.

O'BRIEN AND DILLON

Transferred From Clonmel to Galway Jail.

DUBLIN, February 19.—William O'Brien and John Dillon were transferred from Clonmel Jail to Galway Jail this morning. The inhabitants of Tipperary got wind of the affair and assembled in crowds at the station and enthusiastically cheered the prisoners as they passed.

ARIZONA WASHOUTS.

A Strong Rise in the River at Clifton.

CLIFTON, Ariz., February 19.—The river was at a standstill all night. This morning it began to rise, washing away the Arizona and New Mexico roadbed, and several residences and North Clifton bridge were swept away. Wells, Fargo & Co.'s agent is removing the express and other matter to a place of safety. The river is now falling.

TO SHUT HER MOUTH.

How a Negro Removed a Dangerous Witness.

MANCHESTER, Ind., February 19.—Near Bartonia, a small village near here, Mrs. James Bass was brutally murdered by Anderson Rosell, colored. She was supposed to have some inside knowledge of a forgery which Rosell had committed, and he murdered her to shut her mouth. Rosell is still at large.

KILLED IN A SCUFFLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and the Pistol.

TEMPLETON, Cal., February 19.—Last night a young man named Anderson, en route to Oregon with stock, was accidentally shot and killed while in a scuffle with his wife for the possession of a pistol.

Wild Railroad Rumors.

ST. LOUIS, February 19.—Relative to the Kansas City dispatch about the consolidation of the Nettleton or Gulf Line property with the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, Manager Waldo, of the latter road, disclaims any knowledge of such arrangement and said he did not think there was any foundation for the story.

HE WAS A CATHOLIC.

So General Sherman's Son Says of Him.

SACRAMENTS ADMINISTERED TO HIM.

The Funeral in New York—The Services. The Visitors—The Procession—Business Suspended.

NEW YORK, February 19.—The Rev. Thomas Ewing Sherman was seen by a reporter this morning, touching the subject of General Sherman's religious belief. He said in a positive way that may well remove all doubt of the matter: "My father was baptized in the Catholic Church, married in the Catholic Church, and attended the Catholic Church until the outbreak of the Civil War. Since that time my father has not been a communicant, but always said to me: 'If there's any true religion, it's the Catholic religion.' A week ago today my father received absolution and extreme unction at the hands of Father Taylor. My father was unconscious at the time, but this fact has no important bearing, for the sacraments could be administered to any person whose mind could be interpreted as desirous of receiving them. I will hold services over my father's remains at 12 o'clock today in the presence of the immediate family. They will embrace the reading of the regular funeral service prescribed by the ritual of the Roman Catholic Church."

NEW YORK'S TRIBUTE.

NEW YORK, February 19.—New York is today paying every possible tribute of respect to the memory of General Sherman. The dawn of his funeral day opened bright and clear. The courts remained closed, and the exchanges closed at noon. General business was brought almost to a standstill, and all who could do so ceased their daily occupations to do honor to the dead soldier. At an early hour the people began to assemble in the street opposite the residence of General Sherman. From almost every house along the street the American flag floated at half mast. There were a few visitors in the early hours of the morning, and only the most intimate friends and a few outsiders were admitted, and later were obliged to show certificates that they had served in the army.

HIS SON ARRIVES.

Rev. Thomas Sherman, the son, whose arrival was so anxiously awaited, arrived at the house at 1:30 o'clock this morning. Just after taking breakfast this morning, with the family he took a last look at the remains of his father. A few minutes before 11 o'clock, a large floral shield was received at the house from the West Point Cadets. The shield was six feet in height and four feet broad and was made of white and blue immortelles and calla lilies. At 11 o'clock Secretaries Blaine, Proctor, and Rusk, Generals O'Bierne, Romer, and Ewing arrived at the house. The President will not look on the remains of the General. The family sent an invitation to him this morning, but the President kindly replied that he preferred to keep with him the remembrance of the General while alive. He did not wish to see him in death when their associations had been so warm and genial.

THE SERVICES.

At noon every doorstep along Seventy-first street was crowded with interested spectators, and the windows were filled with expectant faces. About 12:25 o'clock a caisson draped in black and drawn by four horses was drawn up in front of the Sherman residence. The horses were mounted by regulars and an army officer was in charge. Behind the caisson was an orderly leading a black charger, which bore the military trappings of the General. A black velvet covering almost hid the horse from view, but the boots and saddle were plainly conspicuous. The services of prayer began at noon and were over at 12:30. The prayers were read by the Rev. Father Sherman. Close to the casket stood the other son, P. T. Sherman, and in the front of the parlor were all the other members of the family. Secretary Blaine and his wife and Mrs. Damrosch. Father Sherman was assisted by the Rev. Father Taylor and two other priests. Father Sherman, in conducting the simple services read from the Scriptures the passage beginning "I am the resurrection and life." After this two selections were sung from the Oratorio of Elijah. Father Sherman again read the scriptures and the Miserere from Mendelssohn was given. Prayer was then offered by his son, and the services concluded with music. There were about 150 persons present at the services. The greater number of these were relatives, but among the friends were Colonel Grant and Senator Cameron.

THE VISITORS.

Before the arrival of the hour for the funeral procession to start carriages containing prominent officials, both military and civil, arrived at the house. Among the visitors were George W. Childs, A. J. Drexel, Hiram Hitchcock, Chauncey M. Depew, Ex-Presidents Cleveland, and Hayes, Joseph Choate, Rear Admiral Braine, General Schofield and Governors Pattison and Bulkely with their staffs. A committee from the Senate came in a body wearing usual signs of mourning, and after them came a large committee of the House. It was close on 2 o'clock when President Harrison with Lieutenant Ernst, his aide-de-camp, reached the house.

THE PROCESSION.

Long before the procession moved the spectators began to take the line of march. The decorations of the long route were not so numerous or elaborate as when General Grant was buried, but nevertheless were strikingly handsome and in great profusion. About 2 o'clock troops of the Sixth cavalry formed to the left of the house in the middle of the street. The Lieutenants then appeared in the doorway bearing on their shoulders the casket of the General, which they placed upon the waiting caisson. The members of the family and friends, the invited officials and pallbearers then took their places in carriages and followed, and members of Lafayette Post Grand Army of the Republic formed on either side of the caisson. The procession then commenced to move, but very slowly, as both sides of the street were crowded with hundreds of carriages waiting to take their places in line.

ACROSS THE FERRIES.

Following came the military, consisting of the military order of the Loyal Legion, the Grand Army, the Cadets and National Guard, consisting of the Sixty-ninth, the Eighth, the Twenty-second, the Seventh and Twelfth Regiments and the First and Second Batteries of Artillery. Behind these were the Sons of Veterans and the civic organizations, who brought up the rear of the parade. The pageant started down Eighth avenue, from Seventy-first street to Fifty-seventh street, then turned into Fifth avenue and down to Washington square. Here the parade, except the guard of honor and the escort of mounted police, was dismissed, Lafayette Post, having in its center the caisson and the black charger, swung into Broadway and marched to Canal street, and thence to Desbrosses street ferry. The carriages in which were the family, followed closely and all boarded the ferry boat which was in waiting and which took the remains across to Jersey City. There the body will be placed in a special car, and the family and those who are to go to St. Louis will occupy another car. It is announced that brief burial services of the Catholic Church, will be conducted at the grave.

PREPARATION IN ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, February 19.—The general committee of arrangements for the funeral ceremonies of General Sherman held a meeting this morning. The Chairman of the Executive Committee stated that 200 members of the Missouri General Assembly would participate in the exercises. General Merritt received a telegram from Cincinnati stating that 100 members of the Society of the Army of the Tennessee would arrive on Saturday and had been assigned a place with the Loyal Legion. In accordance with the instructions received from Washington, General Merritt has provided for a guard at the tomb, which will remain as long as is deemed necessary. Information is received that General Schofield will be present.

A GREAT PAGEANT.

The pall bearers are not yet named, but will likely be selected this evening. Governor Francis said that between 1000 and 1200 of the Missouri State militia will join the cortege, and other information indicates that it will be one of the largest pageants ever witnessed in the West. The following was received from Governor Campbell this morning, Cincinnati, Ohio: "Governor Francis—Will send three infantry regiments and one battery of artillery, about 1500 men, and the military staff. He cannot go, much to his regret. His adjutant, M. L. Hawkins, is now in St. Louis. Give him instructions. The Society of the Army of Tennessee will meet this evening to take action in regard to the meeting of their comrades from distant points who will arrive on Saturday morning. The society will have the post of honor in the second division, and will be under the command of Major Merritt.

IN SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 19.—The committee for the arrangement of the memorial services for General Sherman met this morning, and the Secretary was authorized to secure either the First Congregational Church or the Grand Opera House for the services next Sunday.

General Gibbon, commanding the Department of the Pacific, will be invited to preside, and an eulogy will be delivered by General Barnes. Governor Markham and other State officials will be invited to attend.

BROOKLYN, February 19.—The people observed the day with a half holiday out of respect for General Sherman. Flags were displayed at half mast. Many stores are closed, and but little business is transacted in the courts. The public schools closed at noon.

LITTLE CHIEF NOBLE.

American Horse is Not Pleased With the Way He Was Treated.

More Indian Trouble Expected in the Spring—The Visit of the Chiefs to Washington.

CHICAGO, February 19.—The band of Sioux who arrived here on Thursday on their return from Washington to Pine Ridge left for their destination last night. Before leaving American Horse made this significant declaration: "I signed the Sioux Reservation treaty, but when I saw how the mouths of my people were closed in Washington I told little Chief Noble that I would be no longer a leader of my people, but would mingle with them as a warrior in the ranks rather than lift my voice in behalf of the white man. Louis Primeau of Standing Rock Agency and one of the interpreters with the party, said that, in view of this last visit and the excitement last fall, there will be trouble in the spring.

A SAD HOME COMING.

A Farmer Finds His Little Children Burned to Death.

MONTICELLO, Wis., February 19.—A farmer named Johnson, living north of here, on returning home from town, found his house in ashes and his two little children burned to death.

The Czar Helped.

ST. PETERSBURG, February 19.—A fire broke out yesterday in the apartments of the Empress, but the flames were promptly extinguished and only slight damage was done. The Czar personally directed the operation of the firemen.

The Dead Roll.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., February 19.—Professor Alexander Winchell died this morning.

NEW YORK, February 19.—H. K. Eno, the banker and President of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad, died this morning.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, February 19.—Wheat, easy; cash, 93¾; May, 97; July, 93. Corn, firm; cash, 53½@¾; May, 55½. Oats, firm; cash, 45¾; May, 46½@¾. Pork, firm; cash, $9 50; May, 9 85. Lard, steady; cash, $5 60; May, $5 90. Barley, nominal, 70@77.

To Make Prizefighting a Felony.

AUSTIN, Tex., February 19.—The bill making prizefighting in Texas a penitentiary offense has passed the House, with the term of imprisonment ranging from two to five years.

Killed in a Mine.

IRONWOOD, Mich., February 19.—Joseph Bercance was killed and two other miners seriously injured by the falling of an ore shaft in the Aurora mine this morning.

Grain Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 19.—Wheat, buyer, '91, $1 46. Barley, buyer '91, $1 37½.

Light Rains to Come.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 19.—Forecast, light rains along the coast and in the southern portion of the Sacramento Valley.

G. F. CRIST'S WEALTH.

The Tanner's Estate Valued at $150,000.

WHO IS THOMPSON OF EAST OAKLAND?

Mrs. West's Story of the Actions of Her Husband, from Whom She Wants a Divorce.

J. C. Rued, John Schumacker, and C. F. Scholl have filed an inventory and appraisement of the estate of George F. Crist, deceased. The real estate amounts to $73,150 and the personal property $78,052 88, making a total of $151,202 88. Promissory notes of the following are included in the estate: Orion Crooks, $7500, $850, and $50; T. A. Brown, $40; J. B. Copswell, $86 35; Cristen Jansen, $170 75; Charles and Mary McOakler and Elizabeth A. K. McNeill, $300; Charles S. Shauer, $124 50. Money loaned—L. Deffener, $100. Note of J. W. Valentine and Thomas M. Gardiner, $900; note of Charles W. Hendel, $2,150; George P. Ashton, $496, and M. Gardener, $96 25.

The interest in the cannery of G. F. Crist & Sons is valued at $11 160 22.

THOMPSON OF EAST OAKLAND.

The Way He Greeted Mrs. West When She Called.

Mae West, a pretty young wife, was before Judge Henshaw this morning making an appeal to be divorced from Robert West. Mrs. West had some twenty witnesses present to assist her in establishing a case. The young couple did not speak as they passed by in the courtroom, and wicked glances did West receive while he consulted his attorney, James A. Johnson.

Mrs. West was dressed in the latest fashion, and looked very pretty as she told her tale of woe on the witness stand. "I was married in 1888," said the little lady, "and we lived happily together for about three weeks." The honeymoon soon passed away, and Mrs. West felt that she had settled down for life. West, who is not an unhandsome young man, had his first difficulty with his wife over a canary bird. He arose early one morning, and, rushing to the bird cage, exclaimed, "Who clipped the wings of this bird?" Then he took the canary from the cage and held it up to her face at the same time exclaiming, "you're a liar; you did clip the wings of the bird." West then took the bird to the window and threw it away. The little wife was greatly annoyed at the loss of her bird and she rushed to the window to secure it, but it had flown away.

A slight blush passed over the face of the witness when she related how on some occasions her husband told her that she could go with as many men as he desired, while at the same time he made improper suggestions to his sister-in-law, which suggestions were repudiated in the presence of the wife. When West found himself hard pushed for money, he informed his wife that he thought she could go out and raise the money from a gentleman friend in East Oakland. "I will try and get the money, husband, and will go and see that man," said the wife. So Mrs. West went to see her gentleman friend, who was also a friend of the husband. She found him at his room and appealed to him for money on behalf of her husband. The man said that he could not give her the money just then and immediately commenced to disrobe himself and made improper remarks. The wife retreated without replying to his suggestions and has since up to today kept the secret of that scene to herself. "I believed," said the little lady, "that my husband had talked with that man about me and that is why he acted that way. The man's name is Thompson and I believe he sells lottery tickets."

The witness, on cross-examination, was submitted to the painful duty of explaining minutely the actions of Thompson while she was at his room. She stated that the door of the room was locked, that she screamed when he insulted her, that nobody came and finally he allowed her to go. She had never told a living soul of his conduct toward her. On one occasion her husband denied that he was the father of one of her children. When West wanted her to violate the vows she had taken and become a paramour of others rather than a pure and loving wife, she thought that he was not the man for her, and the home of her parents was the best place for her protection. It finally came to pass that Mrs. West could no longer stand the treatment of her husband, so she returned to the home of her mamma. She gave her husband no notice, but simply made up her mind that she would leave him, and when he came home he found his home deserted. The mother-in-law had not been on the best of terms with West, and she gloried in the actions of her daughter and was glad to have her return. It was claimed that West had cheated her out of some money due for board and lodging, and this was the cause for some little ill feeling.

West had the habit of parading about the house in a nude condition when Miss Katie Jensen, aged 18 years, his sister-in-law, was visiting at the house. Not only this, but Katie used to remain at the house of nights quite often, and there being only one bed in the home it was necessary for Mr. and Mrs. West and Miss Katie to occupy the same couch. West was remonstrated with by his wife for his actions, but she could do nothing with him, and he would be more frisky than ever. According to the story of the wife West was a very insulting fellow to some of the ladies who used to visit Mrs. West.

Such is the story as was told by Mrs. West in court this morning. West will have his day in court this afternoon and will endeavor to disprove this the charges made against him.

MARRIED FOR MONEY.

A Young Man Who Was Fooled When He Married a Widow.

Charles H. Miller thought that he had struck it rich when he married a widow some two years ago. He believed that she had bags of money, and pictured for himself a life of leisure. In due time the widow became Mrs. Miller. The husband had been married but a few months when he discovered that he was the worst fooled man in town. His wife had only a few hundred dollars, and when this sum was used Miller had to get out and hustle for the family. He remained at home only a few weeks longer and then suddenly left for parts unknown. His wife has sued him for a divorce.

Ella E. Sparhawk has sued Frank C. Sparhawk for a divorce in this county.

Mary L. Walters has been granted a divorce by Judge Henshaw from Charles C. Walters on the ground of cruelty. He made no defense to the charges of extreme cruelty proved against him. A little child, the issue of the union, died a short time ago from the effects of the abuse of the father, so it is said.

The Will of Pierre Noisat.

The will of Pierre Noisat, deceased, who conducted a saloon at 580 Fourth street, has been filed for probate. He left an estate valued at $10,000. He bequeaths $300 each to Paul, Jules and Florentine Noisat, children by a deceased wife. The residue of his estate is bequeathed to his widow, and she is to care for the little children. Ami Vignier of San Francisco and C. H. F. Braun of this city, are named as executors.

W. J. Landers Appointed.

William J. Landers has been appointed administrator of the estate of Lydia W. Landers.

Superior Court.

Department One—Greene, Judge; February 19: Dusenbury vs. Higgins; trial. Baumberger vs. Arff; trial.

Department Two—Mae West vs. John West; divorce; trial. Stevens vs. Osterhaut; further hearing at 1 p. m.

Department Three—Ellsworth, Judge: Berlin vs. Farwell; trial.

CALENDAR FOR TOMORROW.

Department One—Estate of W. Walkerley; hearing of petitions.

Department Two—Cameron vs. Calberg; motion for a new trial.

Department Three—No proceedings.

MURDER AND ROBBERY.

A Nevada County Murder With a Sordid Motive.

Henry Willis Fractures a Chinaman's Skull With an Axe and Takes Three Hundred Dollars From Him.

NEVADA CITY, February 19.—Last evening a messenger arrived with the news that a brutal crime had been perpetrated at the Wilson ranch. Henry Willis, aged 19, went to the house occupied by the Chinese gardeners who have the ranch leased, and finding an aged Chinaman alone, asked for a cigar, which was refused him. Willis took a trunk from under the bed when the Chinaman interfered. A struggle ensued, Willis picking up an axe and fracturing the old man's skull. He dragged the trunk to a neighbor's and took therefrom over three hundred dollars in coin, with which he fled to Dutch Flat, eighteen miles distant. Sheriff Dunster pursued and finding him in bed at home early this morning arrested and brought him back. Young Willis has served a term in the Placer county jail for petty larceny at Dutch Flat and is suspected of having been engaged in numerous thefts here. The Chinaman will die.

TO OUST THE COMMISSIONERS.

Members of the Board of Works Charged With Illegal Actions.

A Suit to Remove R. M. Fitzgerald, J. West Martin and E. W. Playter From Their Office.

A verified complaint was filed with Judge Ellsworth this afternoon, asking him to remove from office the members of the Board of Public Works, R. M. Fitzgerald, E. W. Playter and J. West Martin for not complying with the duties required of them. The trouble grows out of a contract let to F. M. Farwell for painting the City Hall. It is claimed that he violated the eight hour law, and that the members of the Board of Public Works knew he was so doing. The complaint reads as follows:

OAKLAND, February 18, 1891.

To His Honor, Judge Ellsworth, Judge of the Superior Court of Alameda County, Cal.: Your Honor, I most respectfully call your attention to the enclosed copy of a contract entered into by the parties whose names are appended. You will observe that it is not legally drawn in that it does not comply with the laws of California.

Article 3245 of the Political Code of California, provides that such contracts must stipulate that eight hours shall constitute a day's work on such contracts. This is a palpable neglect of duty on the part of the Board of Public Works of the city of Oakland.

Inasmuch as all of the officials of Oakland have repeatedly been cautioned to observe this law and have failed to do so it must constitute a refusal to perform their duty, hence I hereby accuse the Board of Public Works of the City of Oakland, viz.: E. W. Playter, R. M. Fitzgerald and J. West Martin jointly and severally of refusing and neglecting to perform their official duties pertaining to the office in accordance with Article 772 of the Penal Code of California, I verify this accusation by oath, and pray you to take immediate action thereon.

Very Respectfully,
H. B. WAYNE.

Judge Ellsworth states that the document will have to be filed with the County Clerk before any action can be taken by the court.

The complaint is a painter and was formerly in the employ of Al. Wood.

DEBRIS IS A NEW WORD.

The Mayor Vetoes the Ordinance Concerning Sidewalks and Curves.

The Mayor gives several reasons why he has vetoed the ordinance concerning the laying of sidewalks and curbs.

First, he says that the deposit of $25, required of contractors, is too large, inasmuch as it bears on the poor contractors, and discriminates in favor of the rich ones. A deposit of $5 or $10 would, he thinks, be enough.

As regards the matter that no permit will be issued to anyone where the work has already been ordered by the Council, the Mayor says that the wording of the clause is ambiguous and likely to create legal trouble.

Notwithstanding these objections, he said he would have approved the ordinance, but it was not published properly. In its form, as printed, was the word *debris*, which, the Mayor says, cannot be found in the English language—he suggests that, probably, debris is meant.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Fabian.

Charles Williams, B. H. Fisher, H. W. Mitchell, C. J. Clark, San Francisco; H. E. Woods, St. Paul.

Albany.

Mrs. H. L. Hopper, Miss Clara Hopper, Miss Ruth Hopper, H. B. Wadsworth and wife, Spokane Falls.

Sick Ones.

O. Alexander, who has been suffering from a severe attack of la grippe, is convalescent.

Fred Sinclair of the Oakland Fruit and Produce Company is one of the latest victims of the grippe.

Victor H. Metcalf has been kept at home for the last few days by illness.

Washington's Birthday.

Exercises in honor of Washington's Birthday will be given at the Dietz Opera House on Saturday evening by members of the High school. It will be an invitation gathering and something good is assured.

Oakland Business College.

Mr. Taylor has sold his interest in the Oakland Business College to O. J. Willis, who is now the proprietor.

Same Here.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 19.—A sprinkling of rain occured at intervals this morning.

THE CHIEF'S DEBUT.

John W. Tompkins Appears as Defendant.

THE REPORTER AND HIS LITTLE CHAIR.

The Chief Removed the Chair and Enforced His Rule Forbidding Lounging at the Prison.

The event of the season in Police Court society took place today, for at 10:30 o'clock the trial of Chief of Police John W. Tompkins on a charge of battery on Sackett Cornell began. It had been given out that the prosecution would be aided by ex-Judge E. M. Gibson, but he failed to materialize, so L. S. Church, representing the District Attorney's office, had to go it alone and cross lances with such a distinguished opponent as W. W. Foote, who appeared in behalf of the Chief of Police.

The lobby was of course packed, and within the railing were a host of well-known faces, including city officials, Councilmen, attorneys, and prominent citizens, while all the police force not on duty had squeezed into available corners. The prosecution opened with placing on the stand the complaining witness, Sackett Cornell.

He testified that he was employed as a reporter on *The Morning Times* and that the performance of his duties on the police detail compelled him to be at the City Hall for several hours each night. That on the night of the 2d of February he had taken a chair with him to sit on, because none was provided by the police and he was too tired to stand. That while he was sitting there the Chief of Police entered and ordered him to take the chair out and on his refusal to do so the Chief had taken the chair from under him and thrown it outside. That the Chief had then ordered him out and had laid violent hands on him and pushed and dragged him to the doorway, thereby inflicting the battery.

A rigorous cross-examination followed by Mr. Foote as to the motives which had induced the witness to take the chair to the station. Cornell said that he had carried it there without suggestion from anyone, and that he had not been goaded on to assist in a vendetta declared against Chief Tompkins by the *Times*. The questioning was enlivened by a little personal altercation between the attorney and the witness, Cornell turning a direct heavy-set glance on Mr. Foote in response to a question on which Mr. Foote spoke warmly and said that he did not propose to have any glaring at him, but demanded an answer to the query. An attempt was made to introduce Cornell's record on this coast, but Mr. Church got in a sustained objection and that part was knocked out.

Officer Barnett was next put on the stand by the prosecution and testified that he was present when the trouble occurred. He rather crossed Cornell's testimony on one or two points, especially on the question of ejectment, Cornell saying that he had not been put over the threshold by the Chief while Barnett testified that he had. With the officer's testimony the prosecution closed its case, and the defense opened by calling Officer Swain.

He testified that he had also been present on the night of the 2d of February and had witnessed the row. Before any trouble occurred he told Cornell that he could not sit on a chair there because there were rules of the police station against lounging in the booking office. Further evidence also came out about the talk between the chief and Cornell at the time of the row, during which it appears some very unsavory language was used.

For the prosecution Mr. Church cross-examined Swain at great length, dwelling especially on the point why, if any breach of the law had been made, Cornell had not been arrested. Swain, however, responded that there were other officers about, and he did not see any reason why he should particularly interfere.

At this point recess was taken to 1:30 o'clock.

The defense began this afternoon by putting on the stand Officer Quackenbush and showing by him that he had prior to the night of the alleged assault told Connell that there was a rule against lounging in the police station.

Captain of Police Fletcher was then called and gave testimony similar to that told by the other officers.

Judge Ogden decided that Chief Tompkins was not guilty.

IN THE OHIO VALLEY.

Cincinnati is in Serious Danger of Inundation.

The River Rising at the Rate of an Inch an Hour, and More Coming—The Damage at Pittsburg.

CINCINNATI, February 19.—The river is rising an inch per hour here, and rain is falling so far up as Wheeling river, which is rising so that a stage of fifty feet here is admitted, even if there should be no further rain. If heavy rains come within a few days a disastrous flood is inevitable.

PITTSBURG, February 19.—The rivers are rapidly falling, and as the water recedes the evidences of damage are innumerable. Deep mud deposits are left on the principal down town streets, but an effort is being made to resume business. The loss cannot be accurately estimated yet.

THE BURGLARS AGAIN.

The Residence of Mr. McGrath on Chestnut Street Entered.

The burglars who visited the Wheeler place the night before last are evidently flattered by their success, for they turned loose again last night and broke into the residence of Mr. McGrath, 945 Chestnut street.

As on the night before they affected entrance without any noise and completely ransacked the establishment without being interfered with. They carried away a quantity of jewelry and tableware and, as before, left no clue of any kind.

Necrology.

The funeral services over the body of William Collins will take place tomorrow afternoon at his residence at Mountain View, at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. K. McLean and Rev. Dr. Coyle will officiate, and Live Oak Lodge No. 61, of Masons will conduct the services at the grave. Members of the St. Andrew's Society and other organizations to which the deceased belonged, as well as his many friends, will attend the services.

Margaret A. Denny, wife of Jerry Denny, the baseball player, died last evening at her residence, 1336 Eighteenth street, of premature childbirth. The body will be embalmed and kept until Mr. Denny arrives from the East. The deceased was a native of Ireland, 33 years and 2 months of age, and, besides her husband, a son survives her.

Agnes H. Peters died at her residence, 1434 Twelfth street, at 9:30 A. M. The deceased was the wife of A. S. Peters, and leaves a family. She was 33 years of age, and a native of Maryland. Her funeral will occur on Saturday, and the interment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Walker vs. Dean.

A plea of not guilty was entered this morning in the Police Court by Frank Dean, charged with battery on his partner, Walker, of the insolvent firm of caterers and a jury trial was demanded. Trial was set for March 26th.

"TRIBUNE" MARKET REPORT.

RETAIL PRICES IN OAKLAND.
February 19, 1891.

MEAT MARKET.

Daily quotations from Rice & White of City Market: Beef, 6 to 20 cents ℔ lb; Veal, 10 to 18 cents ℔ lb; Mutton, 10 cents ℔ lb; Lamb, none in the Market; Pork, 12 to 15 cents ℔ lb.

COAL AND WOOD.

Daily quotations from Renton Coal Company of 418 Tenth street: Wellington, $8; New Wellington, $14; Costa, $—; Seattle, $12; Coos Bay, $9.50; Rocky Mountain, $—; Castle, $15; Scotch Splint, $13; Cumberland, $20; Colorado Anthracite, $18; Welsh Anthracite $16; Egg Hard Anthracite, $20; Anthracite, $16@20.

Wood—Pine blocks, $12 per cord; Redwood blocks, $11 per cord.

GRAIN, MILLSTUFFS, ETC.

Daily quotations from Everts & Co of 455 Eleventh street: Oats, $2.00@$2.20 ctl; Wheat, $1.60; Corn, $1.60; Barley, $1.40; Bran, $1.25; Chopped feed, $1.50; Hay, oat, $18; wheat, $13; Straw, $1.00 ℔ bale; Middlings, $25 ℔ ton, otheaks meal, $1.50 ℔ cental; carrots, 65 ℔ sack; Manhattan food, $1 ℔ sk.

PRODUCE, ETC.

Daily quotations from Oakland Fruit and Produce Company at 460 and 462 Eleventh street:

BUTTER—Fancy Point Reyes, ℔ roll, 35c; choice Point Reyes, 32c; choice table, 30c; good table, 25c; choice picnic, 20c; choice Creamery ℔ pound, in tub, 25c; good do do, 20c.

EGGS—Choice California Ranch, 25c store, 20c; Eastern, 25c.

CHEESE—California full cream, 20c; choice California, 15c; good California, 10c; Eastern full cream, 25c; do, part do, 20c; do, skim, 15c; Edam, $1@1 50 each; ℔ apple, 65@$1.25; Roquefort, 40c ℔ lb; Oregon cream, Young Hollis, 20c; French cream, 20c each; Limburger, 20c ℔ lb.

POULTRY—Roosters ℔ hair $1.00@$1.50; hens, do., $1 25@1 50; fryers, do., $1 25; broilers, do., $1 00@1 25; squabs, doz., $3 00; turkeys, do., 20c@22½c; tame geese, $1 00@1 25 each; tame ducks, $1 50 ℔ pair.

WILD GAME—Canvasback duck, $1 50 ℔ pair; Mallard do., $1 00@1 25; Spring do., 50c@75c; Widgeon do., 25c@35c; Teal do., 25c@35c; quail, $1 50@2 00 ℔ doz; hare, 25c each; rabbit, $2 00 ℔ doz; rabbit, 50c each.

FRUITS, GREEN—Riverside Navel Oranges, 40c@75 ℔ doz; Los Angeles do do, 25@50c; Riverside Seedlings, 20@40c; Los Angeles do, 10@20c; Mandarin, none; Apples, Oregon spitz, 5 ℔ 25c; do Baldwin, 5 ℔ 25c; do Pippins, 5 ℔ 25c; California, 5c; Lemons, ℔ doz, 20@50c; Limes ℔ doz, 15c.

VEGETABLES—Peas, Sweet, 10@12½c ℔ lb; String Beans, 20c ℔ lb; Sweet Potatoes, 5c ℔ lb; Sprouts, 5c ℔ lb; Okra, 20c ℔ lb; Garlic, 15c; French Carrots, 5c bunch; common do, 10c ℔ doz; Oyster Plant, 1 bch 10c; do Tur, 10c ℔ doz; Beets, 1c ℔ lb; Green Onions, bunch, 5c; Dry do, 5c ℔ lb; Cucumbers, 50c ℔ lb; Pie do, 10@25c ℔ lb; Lettuce, 2 heads for 5c; Cauliflower 10c, 2 heads for 15c; Spinach, 5c ℔ lb.

POTATOES—Salinas Burbank, 35c ℔ lb; Oregon do, 2c; Alvarado do, 1½c; Early Rose, 1½c; Peachblow, 1½c.

HONEY—Strained Water White, 5 gal tins, 10@12c ℔ lb; do Dark, 12½@15c; do in bottles, 10@25c each; Combs, White, 2 lb combs, 40c; do 1 lb do, 20c.

GROCERIES.

Daily quotations from Harrison & Borco, 411 Twelfth street:

TEA—Natural Green Japan, ℔ lb 25c@$1 00; common to good, 15c@35. Uncolored Basket Fired, 35c@$1 00. Tatami Baskets, 1 lb each, 50c; Imperial Oolong, 40c@$1 50; English Breakfast, 35c@$1 00; Gunpowder, medium to choice, 75c@$1 00; Young Hyson, 60c@$1 00.

COFFEE—Giese Java, O. G., ℔ lb 27½@37½c; Green Costa Rica, 22½@25c; Ground Java, 35@40c; Ground Costa Rica, 25@35c; Ground Mocha, 45c; Hotel Blend, 19@25c; special Blend, 1½ lbs, 40c; Special Blend, 1 lb 30c; Java and Mocha ground, 50@60c; Java and O. G. ground 32½@35c; Cona, green, 25c; Kona, roasted, 35c.

JAMS, JELLIES, ETC.—In glass, Cross & Blackwell's, 20c ℔ jar, $2 25 per doz; Jellies, 40c ℔ jar, $4 50 ℔ doz.; John T. Cutting's, 25c ℔ jar, $2 75 ℔ doz; James Kellier's Scotch Marmalade 25c each, $2 75 ℔ doz., Wine Jellies, 35c each, $3 50 ℔ doz.

CANNED TABLE FRUITS—Standard Brands, 2 ℔ cans, 20c@25c each, $2 25@$2 75 ℔ doz.

PIE FRUITS—2½ ℔ cans, assorted, 16@22½c, ℔ doz, $1 75@$2 25; 1 gal. can, 40@50c, each, ℔ doz, $4 50@$5 25.

DRIED FRUITS AND NUTS—French Prunes, 12½@20c ℔ lb; Dr. Handy's, 25c per lb, bulk; Cartons, 4 ℔ $2 00; 5 Crown London Layer Raisins, boxes, $2 25; ¼ boxes, $1@$1 25; Imperial Pelican, 35c lb, Jordan Almonds, shelled, ℔ lb, 40c; assorted, ℔ lb, 1½@25c.

SOAPS—Castile, White French, ℔ lb, 9½@10c; Castile, Mottled French, 7½@10c; Paragon, 100 bars to box, ℔ box, $5 50; Leader, 50 bars to box, 1½; Proctor & Gamble's Ivory, 100 bars to box, $6.

STARCH—Silver Gloss, 6 lb boxes, ℔ lb, 10c Corn, 1 lb packages, ℔ package, 10c.

HAMS—Best Eastern Sugar Cured, ℔ lb, 15c; other brands, 14½@15c.

BACON—California, ℔ lb, 10@10c; Fancy Rancho, 15c; Eastern Covered, 14c; in pickle, 12c.

FLOUR—Best grade, ℔ bbl, $4 75; other brands, $4 25.

MEALS—Buckwheat flour, ℔ lb, 5c; graham flour, 4c; rye flour, 3½c; corn meal, 3½c; oat meal, 5c; rolled oats, 5½c.

BAKING POWDERS—Hercules, 1 lb cans, 40c; Royal, 50c. All other sizes in proportion.

COAL OIL—Continental, a gal. cans, $1 25; Star, $1 50; Pearl $1 50; White Rose, $1 40; Fire Test Almond, $1 25; Blank, $1 10.

WINES—Extra Sec Champagne, ℔ bbl, 40c; Crushed sugar, Sweetened, ℔ gal, 30c; powdered, 25c; dry granulated, ℔ bbl, 30c; extra C, 30c; golden C, 25c; in ½ bbls ½c more; in ¼ boxes 1c more.

Above prices subject to daily fluctuation.

SUN AND TIDE TABLE.

	H. W. Large.	H. W. Small.	L. W. Large	L. W. Small.	Sun rise	Sun sets
18	8:17 AM	9:10 PM	3:28 PM		6:33 AM	5:50
19	8:58 AM	9:56 PM	4:11 PM		6:32 AM	5:51
20	10:01 AM	4:00 AM	4:49 PM	4:10 AM	6:32 AM	5:52
21	10:41 AM	4:37 AM	5:22 PM	4:51 AM	6:31 AM	5:53
22	11:21 AM	5:12 AM	5:54 PM	5:30 AM	6:30 AM	5:54
23	11:58 AM	5:46 AM	6:26 PM	6:07 AM	6:29 AM	5:55
	Small.	Large.				
24	12:33 PM	1:26 AM	6:58 PM	6:42 AM	6:27 AM	5:56

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

TO ARRIVE.

NAME.	FROM.	DATE.
Humboldt	Eureka*	Feb 17
Coos Bay	San Pedro*	Feb 20
State of California	Portland*	Feb 20
Umatilla	Victoria	Feb 21
Acapulco	Panama	Feb 22
Corona	San Diego*	Feb 22
Los Angeles	Eureka	Feb 22
Santa Cruz	San Pedro	Feb 23
Oregon	Portland and Astoria	Feb 23
City of Puebla	Victoria	Feb 23

TO DEPART.

NAME.	FOR.	DATE.
Walla Walla	Victoria*	Feb 19
Columbia	Portland*	Feb 19
Pomona	San Diego*	Feb 20
San Juan	Panama*	Feb 21
Humboldt	Eureka*	Feb 21
Coos Bay	San Pedro	Feb 22
State of California	Portland and Astoria	Feb 23
Corona	San Diego*	Feb 24
Australia	Honolulu	Feb 24
Umatilla	Victoria	Feb 24

* And way ports.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

SAN FRANCISCO, FEBRUARY 18, 1891.

Arrived.

WEDNESDAY, February 18.

Stmr West Coast, Gerne, 19 hours from Fort Bragg; posts and poles, to Fort Bragg Redwood Co.

Stmr Point Arena, Allen, 46 hours from Crescent City; lumber, to Simpson Lumber Co.

Stmr Pomona, Hall, 66 hours from San Diego, etc; pass and mdse, to Goodall, Perkins & Co.

Br stmr Wellington, Salmond, 81 hours from Departure Bay, 2300 tons coal, to R Dunsmuir & Sons.

Stmr North Fork, Nielsen, 25 hours from Humboldt; pass and mdse, to Chas Nelson.

Stmr Wilmington, Marsland, 4 days from Departure Bay, 795 tons coal, to R Dunsmuir & Sons.

Br ship Albyn, Fisher, 126 days from London; mdse, to Pulfour, Guthrie & Co.

Schr Lottie, Christansen, 10 days from Columbia River; lumber, to Clatsop Mill Co.

Schr Jennie Griffin, Low, 10 hours from Point Reyes; 45 bxs butter, to Shattuck, Kowalsky & Co.

Schr John Frederick, Beck, 15 hours from Bodega, 60 bxs butter, to Doss & Hewitt.

Schr Sunrise, Ellis, 7 days from Humboldt, 200 M ft lumber, to Preston & McKinnon.

Schr Ocean Spray, Peterson, 32 hours from Iversons Landing; shingles, to N Iverson.

Cleared.

WEDNESDAY, February 18.

Stmr St Paul, Erskine, Port Angeles; Getz Bros & Co.

Stmr Walla Walla, Wallace, Victoria, etc; Goodall, Perkins & Co.

Ship Frederick Billings, Williams, Havre Eppinger & Co.

Brig Consuelo, Jacobson, Kahului; J H Spreckels & Bros.

Schr Premier, Paulson, Bristol Bay; Alaska Impt Co.

Sailed.

WEDNESDAY, February 18.

Stmr San Pedro, Hewitt, Tacoma.

Stmr South Coast, Higgins, Port Townsend.

Stmr Los Angeles, Hannah, Eureka.

Stmr Santa Cruz, Nicholson, Wilmington.

Stmr Tillamook, Le Ballister.

Ship Alaska, Brannan, Tacoma.

Bark Margaret, Pederson, Melbourne.

Brig Consuelo, Jacobson, Kahului.

Schr Twilight, Larsen, La Paz.

Schr Pioneer, Hughes, Puget Sound.

Schr Rio Rey, Hallekett, Bowens Landing.

Schr Orient, Harrington, Columbia River.

Schr Nettie Sundborg, Sundborg.

Over 300 Wheelock Pianos sold in Alameda County, and no complaint is found. Examine the large stock at GIRARD'S Music store.

BORN.

HOFER—In this city, February 18, to the wife of Hermann Hofer, a daughter.

HANLEY—In San Francisco, February 14, to the wife of William H. Hanley, a daughter.

LEHN—In San Francisco, February 17, to the wife of George Lehn, a son.

MERKELBACH—In San Francisco, February 16, to the wife of William Merkelbach, a son.

NATHAN—In San Francisco, February 14, to the wife of E. F. Nathan, a daughter.

RUBEN—In San Francisco, February 16, to the wife of Henry Ruben, a son.

STROTHOFF—In San Francisco, February 15, to the wife of John Strothoff, a son.

MARRIED.

HAAN-BAUCH—In San Francisco, February 18, William Hahn and Hattie Bauch.

KNOBLOCH-LINN—In San Francisco, February 18, Frank Knobloch and Emma Linn.

LUNSTEDT-ZOELLNER—In San Francisco, February 15, Edward Lunstedt and Alma Zoellner.

REICHHOLD-VAN DYKEN—In San Francisco February 17, Carl Reichhold and Anna M. Van Dyken.

SCHULTZ-ADAMS—In San Francisco, February 18, Paul Schultz and Maria Adams.

DIED.

COLLINS—In this city, February 17, at his late residence at Mountain View Cemetery, William, beloved husband of Catherine Collins and father of J. E., D. Edward and Eva Collins and Mrs. H. P. Flint, a native of Perthshire, Scotland, aged 67 years, 9 months and 20 days.

☞ Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral TOMORROW (Friday), at 2 o'clock p. m., from his late residence at Mountain View Cemetery.

BECK—In San Francisco, February 18, Hannah Hom Beck, a native of England, aged 84 years.

BERNAL—In San Francisco, February 18, Genevieve T. Bernal, a native of San Francisco, aged 7 years, 5 months and 22 days.

BENNEY—In this city, February 18, Margaret A. Benny, a native of California, aged 33 years, 2 months and 10 days.

FLOOD—In San Francisco, February 19, Michael H. Flood, a native of Ireland, aged 70 years.

FOLEY—In San Francisco, February 18, Thomas Foley, a native of Ireland, aged 48 years.

ARSON—In San Francisco, February 18, Jay Paul Carson, a native of Chicago, aged 19 years 9 months.

HAGGETT—In San Francisco, February 18, Bertrand T. Haggett, a native of San Francisco, aged 1 year and 3 months.

AT HOME AND ABROAD.

Who is T. D. SULLIVAN? The popular saloonist at Temescal, he has the largest establishment in the county and sells the best. Telephone 137.

THE BUFFALO.—Fine wines, liquors and cigars. Buffalo lager on tap. CHAS. HORSCH prop. Tele. 658.

ABOVE all others. SPERRY'S FAMILY FLOUR.

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FOR Bumgardner Rye of 1881, go to THAYER, 464 Eighth street.

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Sure Cure for the Liquor or Opium Habits.

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If you wish your piano tuned by a competent tuner, send your order to STEINWAY'S Agency, 1104 Broadway, near Fourteenth street.

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"STANDARD" SEWING MACHINE.

WILLCOX & GIBBS' AUTOMATIC, 1107 Washington street, Oakland, R. W. Gray, agent.

Dressmaking, cutting and fitting a specialty. Lem Williams, 1161 Washington St.

H. Schellhaas' 4 carpets and mattings.

$10,000 worth of furniture wanted at West's Furniture House, 473, 475, and 477 Twelfth street.

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Two good second-hand upright pianos for sale or rent, at GERARD'S Piano House, 1059 Broadway.

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Those desiring invitations, dance orders, and programmes for parties and balls can have the same printed at the lowest rates at THE TRIBUNE printing office, where a selection can be made from a large, choice, and handsome lot of samples just received from the East.

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NOTICE!

For Advertisements

Too Late for Classification

See Page 5.

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Four lines or less, 1 time	25c
For each additional line, 1 time, 6c.	
Four lines or less, 3 times	50c
For each additional line, 3 times, 2c.	
Four lines or less, 1 week	50c
For each additional line, 1 week, 12½c.	

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ALL KINDS OF HELP FURNISHED BY Mrs. Robinson's employment agency, Tenth and Castro streets.

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SITUATION WANTED TO TAKE CARE OF baby or light housework. 775 Washington street.

WANTED—POSITION BY COMPETENT Scotch girl in private family, to do second work or chamber work in hotel; best of San Francisco reference. Address T. B. BURNS, 862 Broadway.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A MARRIED lady as managing housekeeper, country preferred; references exchanged. Address T. B. BURNS, 862 Broadway.

WANTED SITUATIONS IN PRIVATE families for good Swedish, German and Irish girls; wages from $10 to $20. A. J. TAIT'S Employment office, 1364 Seventh street.

YOUNG SWEDISH GIRL WISHES SITUATION to do general housework and cooking. 1067 Kirkham street.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A RESPECTABLE MIDDLE-aged woman, Danish, Swiss or German preferred, for general housework, plain cooking, light washing and to assist in the care of a child 1 year old; none but an obliging woman who can give the best of reference need apply; two in family; wages $25 and a good home. Address, stating references, SERVANT, P. O. box 1520, Oakland, Cal. febl8-1wx

WANTED—GIRL FOR LIGHT HOUSEwork in family of three adults. Inquire 212 Twelfth street. febl7-1wx

WANTED—TWO GIRLS FOR ALAMEDA; one for cooking and down stair work, wages $25; one to assist in general housework, wages $15. Apply 1210 High street, Alameda. febl7-3tx

WANTED—COMPETENT AND RELIABLE girls as cooks, second girls, waitresses, nurse girls and for general housework; wages $15 to $30. Apply to MRS. L. C. MARVIN, 1119 Washington street. febl3-1wx

WANTED—GIRL TO DO LIGHT HOUSEwork. Apply to JOSEPH M. GREENWOOD, 952 Twenty-fourth street. febl2-1wx

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, if so advertise the fact in THE TRIBUNE and get a sure and quick return.

WANTED—YOUNG GERMAN OR SWEDISH girl for general housework, must be good cook. Apply at 1168 Tenth street, Adeline station. febl4-1wx

YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST IN LIGHT HOUSEwork; good home, $10. 1740 San Pablo avenue. febl7-3tx

SITUATIONS—MALE.

JAPANESE BOY WANTS SITUATION TO help about house, will want to go to school in evening at 7:30. Address H. T., box 7, this office. febl7-1wx

JAPANESE WANT A SITUATION TO DO general housework or wait on table. Address R. S. box 7, this office. febl2-1wx

SCANDINAVIAN MARRIED MAN, GARdener, wishes a situation by the day, or jobbing; best of city and Oakland references; charges reasonable. Address G. A., box 6, this office, or 727 Eighth street. febl3-1wx

WANTED—BY TWO PRACTICAL EASTERN men and wives positions on a farm, thoroughly acquainted with all farm work and care of all kind of stock, handy with tools also no use for liquor; in any way best of eastern references. Address with T. R. BURNS, 862 Broadway. febl7-1wx

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN A PLACE AS assistant baker, two year's experience. Sam T. R. BURNS, 862 Broadway. febl7-1wx

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN, NATIVE OF Oakland, position in office or store or any place of trust; a graduate of Oakland Business College and a member of one of the best families in Oakland; reference and any amount of security if needed. Name and address with T. R. BURNS, 862 Broadway. febl7-1wx

EMPLOYMENT OFFICES.

DOMESTIC EMPLOYMENT OFFICE: help of all nationalities supplied on short notice, all letters by mail receive prompt attention. Respectfully, MRS. L. BUCKINGHAM, 524 Eighth street. febl5-tf

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

BY ADVERTISING YOUR WANTS IN THE TRIBUNE you will get a sure return.

WANTED—SOME BEDROOM AND SITting room furniture, must be in good condition; also some house linen and dishes. Address L. P. O. box 299, Oakland. febl6-1wx

WANTED—ALL KINDS OF HOUSEHOLD pets, fancy pigeons, rabbits, Guinea pigs, squirrels, ponies, lawns, bought and sold by H. SCHELLHAAS, the best furniture dealer, 468 Eleventh street. Call and see our assortment of fine carpets and rugs.

WANTED: ONE HUNDRED MEN TO TAKE their meals at HALLAHAN BROS' RESTAURANT, 884 Broadway, where they can get the best meal for 15c and upward; private rooms for ladies. sept15-xc

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LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—THE DAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 17, on the 8 o'clock train to city, an umbrella; owner can have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Call at 535 Sixth street, between A and B, M. febl7-1wx

FOUND—PARADISE ON EARTH. WE WILL furnish your home and make you and your family comfortable, at a remarkable low price; one bedroom, dining and parlor suits. Great variety in carpets from 20 cents to $1.50 per yard; mattings of a full line, at H. SCHELLHAAS' great store, 468 Eleventh street.

LOST—LAST WEEK NORTH OF TWELFTH street, near Broadway, lady's watch. Liberal reward for information. Address to V., box 6, TRIBUNE office. febl5-1wx

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LOST—FEBRUARY 4TH, ON ALICE, THIRteenth or Harrison street, a white sachet fan, with ivory sticks. Finder will please return same to 1323 Harrison street. febl5

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WANTED—TWO OR THREE FURNISHED or unfurnished rooms with pleasant surroundings, in East Oakland, for gentleman and wife, references. N. X., 1 Montgomery street, San Francisco. febl-3tx

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FOR RENT—GOOD HOUSES IN ARE SCARCE, we cannot supply the demand. Bring your keys and if your house is desirable we will find a tenant at once; no charge for advertising. BLOW & WARNER, 464 Ninth street. febl5-1w

WANTED—FOR RENT, A MODERN house of nine rooms in East Oakland; convenient to local trains; must be in good condition; rent not to exceed $37.50. Clinton preferred. Apply to RILEY & JACKSON, 466 Tenth street. ja27

HOUSES TO RENT.

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Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the twenty-eight (28th) day of February, 1891, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction; and unless payment is made before, will be sold on SATURDAY, the twenty-first day of March, 1891, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Directors.

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Masonic.

Oakland Lodge of Perfection No. 12, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Masons have elected the following officers: Webb N. Pearce, Ven M.; C. L. Pierce, S. W.; G. B. Samuels, J. W.; George Goodman, Treasurer; C. E. Gillett, Secretary; J. B. Merritt, M. of C.; Robert Edgar, S. E.; C. L. Hawes, S. E.; L. D. Fletcher, C. of G.; William Crow, Jr., Tyler.

There are twenty-eight German F. and A. M. lodges in New York.

There are now lodges of the F. and A. M. under five distinct constitutions in South America.

The *Masonic Record* announces its suspension of publication and a transfer of its subscription list to the *Trestle Board*. The *Record* was a clean, straightforward publication and brother Masons will miss it greatly. But by its consolidation with the *Trestle Board* the Masonic brethren will have an organ that will be a power. The *Trestle Board* has been generally recognized as an authority on matters Masonic ever since its birth but a few short months ago, and the combination of two strong papers devoted to one interest cannot but make itself indispensable to every Mason on the Pacific Coast.

Live Oak Lodge No. 61 will hold two meetings at the Masonic Temple tomorrow. One at 12:30 P. M. for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late brother, William Collins, at Mountain View, and again at 7:30 P. M., when the first degree will be conferred.

The *Masonic Record* has this fine compliment for two well-known Oakland brothers: Brothers E. A. Sherman and Charles E. Gillett, have for many years been hard-working members of the fraternity. The amount of their meritorious writing, besides other practical work promotive of the advancement of Masonry on this coast, is remarkable. They have earned the lasting gratitude of the whole fraternity. May their life journey long continue in useful and pleasant ways.

Odd Fellows.

The Veteran Odd Fellows of San Francisco paid a fraternal visit to Encinal Lodge of Alameda last Monday evening.

Oakland Lodge, No. 118, conferred the third degree upon two candidates at its meeting last Thursday night.

Oakland Lodge initiated two candidates last Tuesday evening.

The first Friday in March will be the anniversary of the organization of Golden Rule Encampment of this city, and, in conformity to custom, Unity Encampment of San Francisco will be present upon the celebration of the event.

The seceding members of the Rebekah Degree Lodge of West Oakland have completed preliminary arrangements for their new lodge, which will be known as "Elite Rebekah Degree Lodge," and it will be instituted in the near future with a charter membership of thirty-five. The following members have been selected as officers for the present term: Grand Dictator, Arthur Rogers; Past Grand, Catherine Rogers; Noble Grand, Amanda Govy; Vice Grand, Kitty Bullock; Secretary, Helen Maddox; Financial Secretary, Emma Price; Treasurer, Sarah Knight; Outside Guard, W. F. Price; Trustees—Past Grand J. C. Bullock, James Maddox, Harry Bullock.

Order of the Golden Shore.

Sunrise Lodge, No. 48, was organized on Thursday evening, the 5th inst., at West Berkeley, by H. W. Mathews, S. P., and others of the supreme officers. Although the membership at the time of installation was not very large, yet a large increase is expected at the next meeting of the lodge. President Wulfardingen, who is an old resident of West Berkeley, will double the membership of the lodge before the month is out.

Knights of Pythias.

Piedmont Lodge, No. 172, conferred the "amplified third" at its convention Monday evening.

West Oakland Lodge, No. 141, conferred the different ranks on three candidates at their last meeting.

The various lodges will shortly elect representatives to the Grand Lodge, which convenes at Sacramento the second Monday in April.

The quarterly statement of the Supreme Secretary of the Endowment Rank shows an increase of forty-five new sections and 938 new applications. Total benefits paid to date, $5,092,928. The total membership January 1, 1891, was 23,403, representing an endowment of $50,300,000.

Catholic Societies.

The annual convention of the St. Patrick's Alliance of California, will be held in Germania Hall, Oakland, on Saturday next. This organization now consists of five Alliances, as follows: San Francisco, No. 1; Golden Gate, No. 2; Eureka, No. 3; all of San Francisco; San Mateo, No. 4 of Redwood City and Oakland, No. 5, of Oakland. The total membership is in the neighborhood of 1000 and constantly increasing. The delegates to the convention are: No. 1—John Blake, William H. Conklin, D. J. Shine, E. B. Dwyer, J. J. Donnegan, Roger Carlin, William Mulirn, Michael Quinn, G. W. Peterson, Joseph McDevitt, J. H. O'Connor, Thomas Shannahan, Martin Farrell; No. 2—R. J. Barry, J. J. McGrath, John Ganey, Thomas McKenn, James Riordan, Patrick Desmond, Patrick Grant, Patrick Dillon, Thomas Hallinan, Michael McManus, Charles O'Brien; No. 3—F. J. McDermott, A. J. Reavy, T. A. Fagan, Martin Hester; No. 4—John Solen, Thomas McEntyre, P. F. Maloney; No. 5—M. J. O'Gara, P. O. Kane, John Coveny.

Native Sons.

Alameda Parlor of the Native Sons of the Golden West held their first meeting in their new quarters in Masonic Hall Monday night.

Grand Lecturer Greer has returned from an extended visit among the parlors of Southern California.

Delegates to the Grand Parlor will be elected in the first week in March.

Order of Workmen.

The Grand Lodge will meet in San Francisco in April.

Oak Leaf Lodge has elected J. T. Cochran, J. H. Sturrock, J. M. Cohen, and Mr. Schroeder delegates to the Grand Lodge.

Grand Master Adams has negotiated a loan to pay the relief call death claims in part.

Red Men.

Manzanita Tribe, No. 4, on Wednesday evening, February 11th, admitted two members by card and also conferred the Warriors' and Chiefs' degrees upon a number of candidates. J. W. Maher, G. C. of R., and Charles L. Wiggin, P. G. S., were present and assisted the degree team in the work.

Miscellaneous.

Oakland Union, No. 624, Equitable Aid Union, is initiating from two to eight candidates at each meeting. It has now a membership of over 340.

Washington Council, No. 480, Legion of Honor, initiated a candidate at its last meeting, and had a social time afterward. This council is making arrangements to celebrate its tenth anniversary next month.

Court Lorin, Order of Foresters, was instituted at Lorin, Alameda county, last Wednesday evening, by H. S. C. R. Case.

Three assessments are called for the month of February in the Knights of Honor, and must be made to the Finance Reporter on or before the last day of the month.

Official Assessment Table.

Name	No. of Assessment.	Date of Call.	Delinquent by Members.	
A. L. of H.	195-196	Feb. 2	Mar.	16
A. O. U. W.	4-5	Feb. 13	Feb.	28
Workmen's G. F. A.	2-3	Feb. 1	Feb.	28
Knights of Honor	290-97-8	Feb. 1	Feb.	28
Knights and L. of H.	289-90-1	Feb. 2	Feb.	28
Order Chosen Friends.	18	Feb. 1	Feb.	28
Royal Arcanum	146	Feb. 2	Mar.	4
United End't Asso'ts.	58-59-60	Feb. 1	Mar.	2
Am. Fraternal Circle	28	Feb. 15	Mar.	15
Legion of the West.	27-28	Feb. 1	Mar.	3
Fraternal Guild	1	Feb. 1	Feb.	28
Order Golden Shore.	2	Feb. 1	Feb.	28
End. B F'd. A. O. F. A.	182	Feb. 9	Mar.	3
End. B F'd. A. O. F. A.	187	Feb. 21	Mar.	21
Young Men's Institute	29	Jan. 20	Mar.	1
Equitable Aid Union.	156-157	Jan. 31	Mar.	10

No Assessments.

There will be no assessments for February in the I. O. B. B., Young Men's Institute and Young Ladies' Institute.

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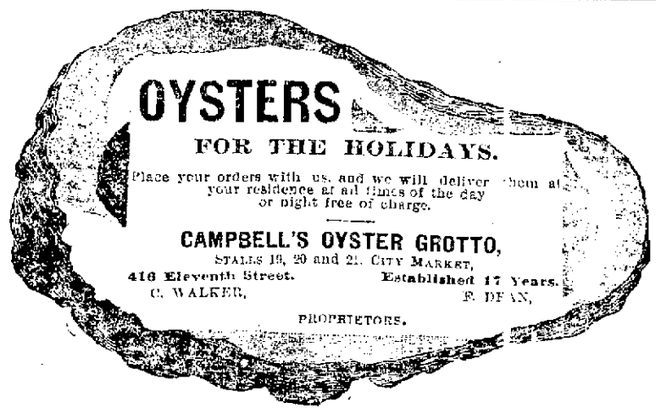

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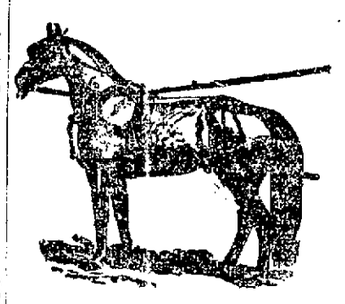

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THURSDAY ..... FEBRUARY 5, 1891.

THE Yosemite and Sequoia National parks will be policed by troops of the Fourth Cavalry. Keep off the grass.

THE Legislature is considering a bill to make fortune telling a misdemeanor, but this does not include Lieutenant Finley and the weather prophets.

AMONG the unusual accidents resulting from the recent storm the Los Angeles *Times* reports the drowning of a team of horses in a hole in one of the streets of that city, where the water had collected, forming what the paper calls a "respectable sized lake."

OLD Don Pio Pico, once Governor of California, once the richest man on the Pacific coast, is now in absolute want at Los Angeles in the ninety-first year of his age. The people of Los Angeles are talking of buying him a home for his few remaining years and it may be hoped that the movement will be successful.

WE send greeting to the Women's Press Association of the coast and congratulate them on the prospect of a fine windy time at their forthcoming convention, which seems to follow as a necessary consequence, from the fact that thirteen speakers, five poets, three dramatic readers and seven musicians were selected to furnish the programme for the three days. It looks like an intellectual blizzard.

WE learn from a Los Angeles paper that the Catholic ladies of San Juan Capistrano, in accordance with a custom handed down from the fathers who founded the mission, last week went in procession for several days in succession to the mountains north of the village to pray for rain. The ceremony is repeated for fifteen consecutive days, unless the rain begins to fall before that time has expired. The ladies appear to have done the business, with several days to spare.

IT would seem from the returns that Oakland is getting most of the rain, but whether this phenomenon is due to the superior industry of our rain gauges or to our inherent merit we cannot say. The conflict of rain gauges is impressible. It used to be so in Los Angeles that when the Southern Pacific Company's gauge registered less water than an oyster can set out by a prominent citizen the local press would charge the bloated monopoly with a desire to destroy the agricultural reputation of the climate.

THE differentiation of the Smithocracy has been a matter of sore anxiety in the Assembly, as that illustrious and widespread family is doubly represented in the body—has, in fact, more representatives than an ordinary county. To meet this difficulty the following resolution was solemnly adopted:

WHEREAS, "Smith of Butte" and "Smith of Orange" sound more euphonious than "A. G." Smith and "J. J." Smith; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Assembly be instructed in calling the roll hereafter to avoid the above objectionable initials and call them "Smith of Butte" and "Smith of Orange."

The gentlemen do not appear to have resented the charge that their initials are objectionable.

Should be Reconsidered.

We are inclined to think that the action of the Republican City Committee in refusing to allow the delegates to the coming convention to be elected by precincts, is not wise. So far as we can see, there is no possible objection to this plan of precinct elections and on the other hand, there is a great deal to be said in its favor. First of all it tends to break up the small cliques which work for control in the several wards and where the different parts of a ward are not entirely homogeneous, it gives a chance for all to be represented. It brings the representation nearer to the people and that is something of the highest importance in this campaign. The parties do not stand so much on their record, as on their present good behavior, and it will help us to present a united front at the polls, if every element in the party is given a fair chance at the primaries and in the convention. We think that the committee should reconsider its action.

The Proposed Sunday Law.

The question of a Sunday law is a very difficult matter not to be decided on the say-so of extremists on either side. There are in the first place considerable bodies of religious people whose ordained day of rest does not agree with that of the majority of the Christian Church and if we accept religious toleration in the fullest sense, we have no right to coerce these people into the acceptance of our views on this point. Then there are certain occupations which are necessary to the life of a modern community which must be carried on as well on Sundays as on weekdays and it is not an easy matter to draw the line. If we draw the line too close the people will simply pay no attention to it and this is what happened when California formerly had a Sunday law. The religious argument cuts no figure in the case because it is not the business of a Legislature to enact the doctrines of this or that religion or of any religion. They are concerned simply with the greatest good of the greatest number, and in this view the strongest argument for a Sunday law is that the man who has worked for six days needs a rest, or at least is all the better workman for such a rest. Whether the enactment of a Sunday law would secure a Sunday rest for any large number of men who are now compelled to work, we do not know, but this is really the only important issue to determine. The discussion of the supposed moral side of the question only confuses. One reverend gentleman at Sacramento argued that the (assumed) increase of crime in California is due to the fact that there has been no Sunday law in the State for some years past, but his argument is not more foolish than that of S. P. Putnam of the Liberal Union, who says:

I believe Sunday laws are injurious to public morals. What is a greater curse than idleness? It is idleness that makes people immoral. Why has crime increased in California for the last ten years? Not because of the absence of Sunday laws, but because of the idleness, the enforced idleness, of so many people. They could find no work, and drifted into crime.

Both of these sages assume, without a particle of evidence, that crime has increased in California in the past ten years in greater proportion than population. If there has been such an increase, it is as reasonable to attribute it to the causes mentioned by the two sages as it is to argue about the influence of the moon on the potato crop.

MEN AND WOMEN.

S. S. Hill has gone to Stockton on business.

Mrs. T. F. Faulkner is convalescent from her recent illness.

Dr. Josephine Du Pre, the well-known physician, has returned to Oakland after an extended trip East.

Minnie Fowler will go East in June to complete her musical education at the Boston Conservatory of Music.

The wedding of R. Wilson Rabie of Alameda and Miss E. Lee Wallace of Salinas took place at the bride's residence in Salinas today.

Dr. E. H. Pardee has awarded a contract for the erection of a $22,000 building on Telegraph avenue to Robert McKillican. The plans show a very handsome building.

Mrs. Caroline Walker, the well-known writer for the *Bulletin*, *Post*, and *Century*, who is seriously ill with inflammatory rheumatism, has been removed from the Galindo Hotel to the Fabiola Hospital.

Last Tuesday night Professor C. M. Gayley of the University delivered a lecture on "Home Rulers in Ireland" before the students of Mills College. The lecture was based on the personal observations of the speaker during his visit to the Emerald Isle in 1886, whither he was sent to take part in the campaign which came so near giving Gladstone's party a majority in Parliament. He described the leaders as he met them under various circumstances, gave a vivid picture of political meetings, where the Irish spirit boiled and surged in the wildest manner, and said that Parnell's refusal to retire from the leadership shows him in a most unenviable light, and will probably put off home rule for years.

DEMANDS OF THE TRAINMEN.

Their Grievances Are Still Under Consideration.

A Telegram to Summon the Head of the Brotherhood of Railway Conductors.

Grand Master Wilkinson of the Brotherhood of Trainmen arrived from Chicago yesterday and had a short conference with the Grievance Committee that was in session at the time. Mr. Wilkinson said that he expected to be able to settle the matter by himself, but he found the trouble more serious than he expected, and last night he telegraphed for Grand Master Howard of the Brotherhood of Railway Engineers.

Mr. Wilkinson says that he expects no trouble, and his investigation into the demands of the men has been too brief to permit him to form any opinion.

The Electric Road.

General Manager Gamble of the Oakland and Berkeley Rapid Transit Company, says that the electric road to Berkeley will be running in a month or at the latest by April 1st.

The Berkeley Dummy Road.

Some time ago the little dummy that ran between Temescal and Berkeley was laid off and the little locomotive that formerly ran on that road has been substituted. The little engine was sent to Sacramento and rebuilt into the same shape as the Seventh street local engines and the dummy and this engine will alternate in service on this road.

A Sixteen-Year-Old Ticket.

Conductor Gerber was much excited Wednesday. On the afternoon down train he took up a ticket from a passenger which was dated September 7, 1874. The ticket was from Yountville to Napa, and, although it was 16 years old, it had to be punched.—*Napa Journal.*

Headlight Flashes.

Foreclosure sales were made in 1890 of twenty-nine American roads, with a total capitalization and bonded debt of $152,495,000, representing 8825 miles of road.

The Eastbound freight shipments over the Southern Pacific Company's lines during January were as follows:

San Francisco	20,939,756
Los Angeles	3,370,290
Sacramento	1,826,700
San Jose	1498,350
Stockton	1,176,970
Oakland	975,490
Colton	899,750
Marysville	360,770
Portland	209,000
	10,222,046

Superintendent Meehan of the Pullman Company returned from Los Angeles yesterday. The Pullman party is at Redondo Beach.

Sent Home Part of Sitting Bull's Scalp.
Chicago Tribune.

HAMILTON, Ont., January 7.—Captain Sam Williams of Stony Creek received a letter from his son Charlie, who went West several years ago a fair-haired youth of 16 years, to carve for himself a home. The letter stated that he was at the time he wrote at Pine Ridge; was a member of Troop G, Eighth United States Cavalry; was in action at the capture of Sitting Bull and saw him at the time he received the fatal bullet. He secured part of his scalp and his handkerchief, which he sent home in a letter. He saw five of his own comrades fall victims to the Indian rifles. He states that the sight maddened the troopers to desperation, and that Sitting Bull's scalp was lifted while he was in the throes of death. Charlie will remain with his troop in South Dakota until the trouble is over.

The Longest Straight Railroad Track.
St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The New Argentine Pacific Railroad from Buenos Ayres to the foot of the Andes has on it what is probably the longest tangent in the world. This is 340 kilometers (211 miles) without a curve. In this distance there is not a single bridge and no opening larger than an ordinary culvert, no cut greater than one metre in depth, and no fill of a height exceeding one metre. There is almost an entire absence of wood on the plain across which the western end of the road is located. This has led to the extensive use of metallic ties, which will be employed on nearly the entire road.

L. W. KENNEDY'S CANDIDACY.

A Letter From Business Firms Asking Him to Run for Mayor.

He Accepts the Invitation and Issues a Challenge to All Other Candidates.

In the following correspondence L. W. Kennedy is asked to be a candidate for Mayor and accepts the invitation. A TRIBUNE reporter remarked that no reference is made in the correspondence to political parties. Mr. Kennedy replied that as no mention was made of party in the communication to him he made no mention of party in his reply. "I am a black Republican myself," said he, "but no reference being made in the letter to me about party, I made no reference to it in my reply. This is a business proposition. A number of business men ask me to be a candidate for Mayor and they give their reasons, something no other communications have done, and I accept their invitation to be a candidate and to give a business administration if I am elected.

Following is the correspondence:

OAKLAND, February 3, 1891.

L. W. Kennedy, Esq.—DEAR SIR: During the twenty years of your residence in this city every public effort of yours (and they are neither few nor unimportant) has been along the line of the best public interests; and the many enterprises you have inaugurated, so far as they have been successful, have all, without exception, promoted those interests.

It is this knowledge which prompts and inspires this communication.

Sincerely believing that you are the man for the occasion, we hereby urge you to announce yourself for Mayor at the ensuing election.

We feel confident that not only would the public improvements already proposed be vigorously and successfully prosecuted, but also, with the added knowledge, wider influence, and greater power which the office of Mayor would give you, that you would discern many opportunities, and would organize and carry to success many enterprises and industries of great benefit to our city—enterprises inducing the investment here of heavy capital from abroad, thereby offering employment at remunerative wages to the hundreds of honest and worthy people in our midst who now vainly seek the privilege of laboring for their daily bread.

We earnestly hope you will favorably consider this request, and duly announce yourself as a candidate for the office of Mayor of the City of Oakland.

B. E. Hickox & Son, Golden Rule Flour Mills.
E. T. Flint & Co., gents' furnishing goods, 1057 Washington street.
O. Emlay & Sons, saddles, harness and wagons, 1160 Broadway.
S. Lathrop, jeweler, 1059 Broadway.
B. Wright, Galindo Hotel.
H. Alexander, boots and shoes, 853 Washington street.
Chris Schreiber, furniture and carpets, 1064, 1066 and 1068 Broadway.
F. L. Jannis, furniture, 1103 Washington street.
J. S. Gilmore & Co., dry goods, Fourteenth and Washington streets.
Hyde & Shear, 1002 Washington street.
F. Senram, boots and shoes, 1005 Broadway.
W. Wilson, jeweler, 952 Broadway.
A. M. Salinger & Co., dry goods, 1063, 1065 and 1069 Broadway.
H. H. Sanborn, florist, Fourteenth and Washington streets.
W. A. Rouse, produce, 476 Eleventh street.
C. Westover, gents' furnishing goods, 1117 and 1119 Broadway.
N. Sheeline, hatter, 967 Broadway.
Riley & Jackson, real estate, 466 Tenth street.
Charles A. Fassett, paints, oil, etc., 966 Broadway.
C. F. Stiles, First National Bank.
George Burbeck, First National Bank.
M. S. Smith & Co., books and stationery, 1154 Broadway.
A. Steffanoni, jeweler, 1073 Broadway.
Mark Everson, hardware, 927 Broadway.
E. A. Nordhausen, clothing, 1051 Broadway.
W. T. Hyde, druggist, 1067 Washington street.
Burtchnell & Crowley, plumbers, 1248 Broadway.
Merriam & Co., produce, 1129 Broadway.
A. Gates, livery stable, Thirteenth and Franklin streets.
F. J. McLaughlin, Hotel Crellin, Washington and Tenth street.
John Hanly, dry goods, Washington and Eleventh street.
C. Wise, music, etc., 1000 Broadway.
O'Connell & Co., 469 Ninth street, dry goods.
Walter Meese, wood and willow ware, 907 and 909 Washington street.
Young & Finney, boots and shoes, 961 Washington street.
W. B. Wharton, furniture, Twelfth and Franklin streets.

MR. KENNEDY'S REPLY.

OAKLAND, February 13, 1891.

Messrs. Hickox & Son, Mark Everson, Chris Schreiber, E. T. Flint & Co., Young & Finney, and others—GENTLEMEN: You have requested me to announce myself as a candidate for Mayor, and have given two good reasons for doing so:

One—That *I have done* that of which you as business men approve.

The other—That, judging the future by the past, you believe, if elected Mayor, all my efforts would be as heretofore—on the line of the public interests, in which I would be greatly assisted by the added influence of the office. Your reasons are satisfactory; your arguments unanswerable. Therefore your request is granted.

On and after the 16th, in person or by proxy, I shall be at my headquarters, 463 Thirteenth street between Broadway and Washington streets, ready to co-operate with you, and I hereby extend an especial invitation to the mechanics, laboring men and every person idle from necessity and not from choice, to join with us in trying to make something besides a "bedchamber" of our beautiful city, which has all the necessary qualifications to make it a second Chicago, during our life time.

I courteously challenge each, all, and every candidate for Mayor, to meet and sign a joint agreement to prepare and simultaneously publish in all our city papers, the reasons why they wish to be Mayor; what they will do and what they will try to do, if elected. Giving a frank, clear and unequivocal expression of their views on every question the people are now considering. Sincerely yours,

L. W. KENNEDY.

FOR MAYOR.

L. W. Kennedy.

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A Cleveland Incident Recalled.
Washington Post.

For the first time since Hayes began the custom of including the correspondents among the invited guests at the State receptions the usual drag-net invitation has been abandoned. Hitherto it has been customary to print a paragraph in the local papers informing the correspondents that they might consider themselves as invited to the reception, and a blanket notice was posted in the press gallery to the same effect. This year the correspondents have received an engraved card of invitation, with its little golden embossed eagle, and the courtesy was emphasized by its delivery at each correspondent's home by a footman of the White House.

All this brings to mind the memory of the first state reception held under the Cleveland regime. The announcement of the reception was made through the papers and a general invitation extended to Senators and members. Very few, of course, responded, and a few days later one of the Senators who had absented himself called at the White House.

"I did not receive a card," said the Senator, when his absence had been commented on by the President.

"But it was in the papers," said Mr. Cleveland.

"Well, then," replied the Senator, with a touch of irony in his voice, "you must have forgotten to send me a marked copy."

Disagreeable For Hawk and Mouse.
Mass Day.

A sportsman yesterday afternoon was returning from quail shooting, when he perceived a sparrow hawk poise in the air a short distance from him and then dart fiercely down into the grass. In a moment the bird flew upward with something in its talons, and uttering cries in which acute pain and the fierce joy of victory seemed curiously blended. It kept screaming and pecking at a small object in its claws.

The sportsman brought his gun to his shoulder and killed the bird. The bird had driven its claws into the back of a mouse, perforating the skin, passing beneath two ribs of the little animal, and piercing the skin again in such a manner that it could not turn its catch loose. The tortured mouse on his part seized one leg of the bird in his mouth and buried his teeth into it just above the joint in the leg, cutting the bone entirely in two. Both mouse and bird had been killed outright by the human animal of prey, the mouse having received a shot in the side and the bird one in the head.

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CAMPAIGN OF A WEEK

Republican Convention to be Held March 2d.

THE PRIMARIES ON FEBRUARY 28TH.

The Delegates to be Elected by Wards and Not by Precincts—The Test a Pledge.

The rooms of Fred E. Whitney, chairman of the Republican City Central Committee, were filled with members of the party last night when the committee met to decide upon the preliminaries for a primary election and city nominating convention. Of the forty or fifty "outsiders" present, however, only M. D. Hyde had any suggestion to offer, and they were in touch with the committeemen's ideas. It became generally understood during the day and early last evening that a majority of the committee was determined to adhere to the ward delegation plan, and not inaugurate the system of electing delegates by precincts. This fact deterred some Republicans from attending. The members of the committee were all present.

As the result of several motions it was resolved that the Republican primary election be held on Saturday, February 28th, and that the polls be open from 1 to 7:00 p. m., the election to be held under the provisions of the State Primary Election law, sometimes known as the Porter Primary law.

It was next decided that the convention be held in Germania Hall on Monday, March 2d, at 7 p. m., and that 292 delegates be elected to said convention, apportioned to the various wards as follows:

First ward	35
Second ward	27
Third ward	27
Fourth ward	37
Fifth ward	27
Sixth ward	27
Seventh ward	32
Total	292

Then the question of electing delegates by precincts or by wards was brought up. Chairman Whitney called for suggestions. He said that at the last meeting of the committee nearly everybody present had favored the precinct plan.

M. D. Hyde said he had been impressed with the fairness of the precinct plan, but found it met with opposition. He thought the best way to act was to allow each member of the committee to arrange the voting places in the ward he represents. The delegations, however, must be voted for by the entire ward and could not be apportioned to precincts.

This novel proposition—neither fish or fowl—caused Chairman Whitney to disagree. He held that if the committee saw fit it could call for an election of delegates apportioned to the various precincts, the voters of each precinct to vote only for delegates in that precinct.

Mr. Hyde claimed that he had the right to vote for every one of the twenty-seven delegates apportioned to the Sixth ward.

C. M. Nichols of the Seventh ward and T. N. Hanson of the Fourth ward, agreed that delegates should be elected by wards.

Fred A. Campbell, who at the previous meeting of the committee was one of the first to favor precinct delegations, drew the following resolution from his inside pocket and offered it:

WHEREAS, The boundaries of all the wards of the city of Oakland have been recently changed, thereby bringing about a more equal distribution of the voting population by wards; therefore, be it

Resolved, by the City Central Committee of the Republican party of Oakland, that when the call for a primary election is issued that the apportionment of all delegations be elected by wards, and not by precincts, and that the number of polling places in each ward shall be determined and fixed by the committeeman representing the same.

Resolved, That each committeeman report to the City Central Committee the polling places so determined and fixed Friday, February 20, 1891, at 7:30 p. m.

In explanation of his apparent change of heart, Mr. Campbell said: "I wish to put myself on record as being in favor of the precinct plan, but for the sake of harmony in the party I have consented to offer these resolutions. We have had enough dissension in the party, and I want to see it end right here and see the return of Republican government."

Chairman Whitney favored the precinct delegations, but said there must be uniformity, not precinct delegations from one ward and ward delegations from others.

Mr. Nichols thought that it would settle the question if each precinct would select its proportion of delegates and submit their names to a ward caucus, to be put on a general ward ticket.

Tom Hanson said that ward caucusses were of no avail—there is always an opposition ticket at the primary.

Committeeman C. E. Snook of the First ward said he was opposed to the plan of electing delegates by precincts. "Precinct delegations," said he, "are too often made up and controlled in the interest of some candidate for the Council or School Board. A minority in a ward could, under the precinct plan, control the nomination of a candidate to represent the entire ward. The voters of the entire ward should be permitted to vote for all the delegates from that ward.

The Campbell resolution was adopted. It was decided then that the committeemen would arrange the polling places to suit their respective wards, Mr. Whitney stating that he proposed to have a polling place in each city precinct of the Third ward.

The committee then agreed that the test at the primary election should be:

Did you vote for Markham and Reddick at the last State election, or would you so have voted at that time? Are you a legal voter in this ward, and will you support the Republican ticket at this election?

Committeeman Nichols of the Seventh ward stated that business is likely to call him away from the city at any moment, and he offered his resignation, but he was prevailed to withdraw it, and authorized to give his proxy when he could not be present.

It was resolved to publish the call for the primary election three times in THE TRIBUNE, the *Enquirer* and the *Times*. The committee adjourned to meet tomorrow night, when the polling places are to be decided upon, and the names of judges, inspectors and clerks of the election named.

THE PRECINCT PLAN.

A Correspondent Disapproves the Action of the Republican Committee.

To the Editor of The Tribune—SIR: I hear that the Republican City Committee decided last night not to permit the party voters to elect their delegates to the Convention by precincts, but to adhere to the ward system. This is doubtless in full accord with the sympathy of the old mossyback ward ringsters, whose coteries and cliques are hard to break up. They don't represent the majority of the Republicans in a single ward, yet they hope by superior drumming up of their combined strength to carry a majority of the wards.

A large element of the party hoped against hope that precinct delegations would be called for. Such a plan would accord with the national and State policy of the party. In national politics representation is called for from Congressional districts. The State calls for representation from Legislative districts. In turn the counties and townships are subdivided to the smallest precinct division. The theory of representation in the Republican party is to give minorities an opportunity to be represented. Under the ward plan the voters in a precinct adjacent to the polling place, and in the interest, perhaps, of the Councilman or his friends who located the ballot-box there, elect the entire delegation of the ward.

Moreover, when two factions of an entire ward meet in hot opposition at a primary election, scenes and deeds often occur which reflect discredit upon the party, embittered the defeated side, and imperil the success of the ticket on election day.

Again, where the voters of one part of a ward find that a delegation has been put up in some back room, and contains the names of men they know little of, and who reside at the other end of the ward, such voters are not interested in the future of the party ticket, do not vote at the primaries, deem themselves virtually disfranchished and are liable to not stand by the ticket.

In fact, the ward plan always has and always will result in virtually debarring the Republicans in the outlying portions of a ward, and those not in the swim of actual wire-pulling, from representation in the convention.

No one knows this better than the present Republican City Central Committeemen. They know that the sensibilities of the average Republican voter are extremely acute; that he likes to vote for his neighbor, and likes to be represented in the convention of his party, and will not permit any clan or clique to run a delegation down his throat. The committee should also be aware after its eminent services of two years ago, that candidates nominated by delegates chosen in a hot primary, under the ward plan, are likely to be snowed under.

The committee has time enough to reconsider its action, and that it should do so and give the party an opportunity to elect representatives by precincts is the wish of many Republicans. FIFTH WARD.

Oakland, February 19, 1891.

ALAMEDA.

A Footpad Attempts Robbery on the Highway.

Alexander O'Donnell of East Oakland was acquitted yesterday of a charge of cruelty to animals.

The old Encinal school building will be moved to the lot corner of Eagle avenue and Twenty-fifth street and used by primary grades.

The next meeting of the City Trustees will be held Wednesday evening, Monday being observed as a legal holiday. The fixing of the water rates is still under consideration.

C. A. Edson, the former manager of the Terrace Baths, who has been suffering from a severe attack of sciatica, was able to appear on the streets this morning, the first time in three weeks.

A young man named Floyd, who formerly worked in Ernst's grocery store, was attacked by a footpad on Santa Clara avenue late Tuesday night. Floyd resisted his efforts to rob him and the man took to flight. He left behind a hat, which bears the stamp of a hat firm at Philipsburg, Mont.

The big store building of A. Schroeder on Park street, opposite Webb avenue, is again without a tenant. After months of idleness it was rented by G. W. Parker, who opened the Economy store in it, but failed. Others have since tried to conduct business in it, but for some reason the ventures all fail, and the building is an elephant on the owner's hands.

This morning Theodore Meetz, E. P. Quimby, J. M. Graham, and George Ball were summoned before Justice Byler and required to show cause why they should not be fined for contempt of court. They had been summoned as jurors in a petty case, but did not respond. Each offered an excuse, and the Justice, after lecturing them upon their duties as citizens, let them go.

RODGERS STOLE THE OPAL.

Duncan Cameron's Son-in-Law Guilty of Petit Larceny.

T. J. Rodgers, the man who stole an opal in Lewis's store by putting it into his mouth when he went there to claim a ring he had left to be set, was tried by Justice Ogden this morning and found guilty. He was given until Saturday to produce witnesses as to his good character, the testimony to be used for mitigation of sentence.

Rodgers was formerly a partner in the jewelry firm of Bangle & Rodgers in East Oakland. The house dissolved partnership and Rodgers subsequently went into the service of Montgomery Bros. of Los Angeles. Before he located in East Oakland he was employed by Geo. C. Shreve & Co. of San Francisco.

Rodgers married in this city the daughter of Duncan Cameron after she was divorced from G. W. Barter. She is now suing Rodgers for a divorce.

SEVEN IN A ROOM.

Troublesome Lodgers at a Sixth Street House.

Two hard looking men walked into Mrs. Murphy's place on 6th and Franklin streets, last night, and engaged a room. Shortly afterwards, one by one, five other men joined them, and the seven proceeded to convert the room into a general camping ground, lying down on the floor, fixing up chairs for beds, and so forth. Then a couple of them began wandering about, and soon there was a report from one of the other rooms that a lodger had been robbed of $3, the money being abstracted from his pockets as he lay in bed. A regular babel then ensued, and officers were summoned and arrested the whole gang for disturbing the peace. They gave their names as James Kelley, John Lewis, Frank Johnson, William Coleman, George Lewis, and John Kelley, and when arranged this morning in the Police Court, pleaded not guilty. Their trial was set for Saturday.

ALOHA FRUIT COMPANY.

Residents of This City Who Are Interested in Fruit Growing.

Articles of incorporation have been filed with the County Clerk of the Aloha Fruit Company. The directors are: Walter Frear, Samuel T. Alexander, Harriet E. Cooke, Hugo P. Frear, all of Oakland, and E. P. Woodward of Santa Rosa.

The capital stock is $48,000, divided into 480 shares of the par value of $100 each. The subscribers are: Walter Frear, $7800; S. T. Alexander, $12,000; Harriet E. Cooke, $6000; Charles M. Cooke, $12,000; J. B. Atherton, $8000; H. P. Frear, $600; Henrietta Frear, $600; E. F. Woodward, $1000; Lizzie L. Woodward, $2000.

NORTH OAKLAND.

The water hydrants in this part of town look brilliant in their new paint.

Frank Smith of Wilkesbarre, Pa., is visiting relatives on Telegraph avenue.

Mrs. Morrow's house on Telegraph avenue and Thirty-sixth street is being raised.

Mrs. Tipton of Peralta and Thirty-second street has returned from a trip to the country.

Cement walks are laying in front of the handsome residence of Mrs. James Hutchison.

A large force of men is at work cutting down trees and brush preparatory to opening Thirty-third street.

Bitumen walks have been laid on Merrimac street, on both sides of the street, from Telegraph avenue east for 200 feet.

Two handsome residences have been completed on the hill upon which the California Military Academy buildings once stood.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grayson have exchanged their property on Thirty-fourth street for a house and lot in Los Angeles.

As a result of the recent rains, the gutters have been choked and pools of water were formed, thus making it hard for pedestrians to get about.

Footpads on the Alert.

A gentleman was chased on Filbert street by a couple of footpads last night, but got away from them.

Only One Train Late.

All trains were on time today save the Los Angeles express, which was an hour and a half late.

The Police Are Very Vigilant Now.

The reward for the arrest of the murderers of Mrs. Greenwood, at Napa, has again been increased, and is now $5500.

Schilling's Best
Eat, drink—about three times

TIME TO REGISTER.

A Chance to Get Names on the Supplement.

The following is the resolution introduced by Mr. Evans at the meeting of the Council last night with regard to extending the time for municipal registration:

Resolved, That the time of registration for the municipal election to be held on Monday, March 9, 1891, be and the same is hereby extended by fifteen days from February 7, 1891, and that such registrations be incorporated as a Supplement to the Precinct Registers heretofore ordered printed.

It was adopted unanimously.

Therefore male citizens entitled to register may register until Saturday of this week, inclusive, and vote at the election, March 9th. Electors who registered last fall need not register again unless they have changed their residences since registration.

PERIL IN A BAGGAGE CAR.

A Valise Containing Nitro-Glycerine Checked by a Passenger.

A stranger boarded the narrow gauge train from Santa Cruz yesterday afternoon at the Powder Mills with a heavy valise which he had checked and requested the baggageman to handle carefully. Then the stranger retired to a coach in the rear of the train. At the Alameda mole he watched the transfer of his valise from the Santa Cruz train to the local train and told passengers it contained nitro-glycerine.

The King's Daughters This Evening.

This evening the King's Daughters of the First Presbyterian Church will give their musical and Shakespearean burlesque for the benefit of the furnishing fund for the children's room, Fabiola Hospital. The excellent entertainment and the worthy cause should ensure a large audience.

The Horse Cruelty Case.

Attorney E. C. Chapman represented C. Gray, the teamster charged with knocking down his horse, breaking its leg and permitting the wounded horse to remain all night in the street, when the case was called in the police court this morning. A plea of not guilty was submitted and a jury trial was asked for. It was set for March 27th.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	AGE.
William H. Smith,	Alameda	21
Mamie Byrne,	Alameda	20
William A. Fowler,	Oakland	31
Johanna M. Galindo,	San Francisco	21
Charles A. Taber,	Oakland	26
Mary A. Neece,	Oakland	24

THE DEATH RECORD.

February 17th—Ellen Tabeny, aged 11 days; place of residence, 1461 Thirteenth street; cause of death, inanition.

February 17th—Hattie Westfeld, aged 73; place of residence, 1463 Eighth street; cause of death, furuncous liver.

The London Circus.

The Girard London Circus gave its third performance in Oakland last night to a large and well pleased audience. The engagement closes this evening and then the show will go to Alameda for a brief stay. Notwithstanding the low flung notices a rival circus company has had inserted in the Oakland newspaper, with the idea of hurting the business of this show, the London circus has enjoyed a good patronage. This would surely not have been the case had the circus been one lacking merit. The rival show has not improved the public's opinion of itself by yelling "Yellow" in such blatant tones. Competition is permisable even in the show business and the general public is inclined to act for fair play. The London circus is a meritorious organization. They gave a clean, good show and merit public patronage. Don't be bamboozled by the lies of a rival circus.

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CITY REAL ESTATE—UNIMPROVED.

FOR SALE—BEST BARGAIN IN EAST OAKland. Lot 50x100, on East 16th street, price $700. For particulars, enquire of J. YOUMILAN, corner Oak street and Buena Vista avenue, Alameda. feb19-1wx

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—A BARBER SHOP IN CENTRAL location; neatly furnished; rent low; will sell cheap as the parties are going East. See F. R. BURNS, 862 Broadway. feb19-1wx

FOR SALE—A WELL ESTABLISHED grocery business in a good location; satisfactory reasons for selling. Address C, box 7, this office. feb19-3ix

FOR SALE—IN A CENTRAL LOCATION, A paying business together with three living rooms in back of store; rent low, water free. Address T. R. BURNS, 862 Broadway. feb19-1wx

ROOMS WANTED.

WANTED — FURNISHED APARTMENTS, cottage preferred, three to five rooms, for over $30, no children. Address E. C., box 7, this office. feb19-6ix

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PERSONAL.

MADAM HERMANN, CELEBRATED Eastern Trance Medium arrived today from Los Angeles. This is the lady who discovered the missing $15,000 diamonds from L. M. Wagner of Los Angeles County; also who found the absconding city treasurer of Cleveland, Ohio, called "Honest To A Axworthy," in 1888; tells names, everything; no money until satisfied; no cards, cabinets or other impositions practiced; call and see. Parlors 1 and 2, 495 Thirteenth street, Oakland. feb19-3ix

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FOR RENT—THE INK SCARCELY DRIES on our rent book before we find a tenant for desirable houses. Bring your keys to BLOW & WARDER, 451 Ninth street, near Broadway. feb19-1w

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

THURSDAY, February 19th.

Charles A. Bailey to A. W. Corliss—Lot 23, block B, Woolsey tract, Oakland township $5
J. L. Stotchler to Charles A. Bailey—SE corner Delaware and Sacramento streets, E 50x127 to Bristol, Berkeley 5
Louisa S. wife of W. S. Crafts to Thomas Ayden—Lot 77 and E ½ 78, Villa Homestead Association, Oakland township, quit claim 1
Clinton N. Whitmore to C. W. Dearborn—E Chestnut street, 50 S from Thirty-second, S 50x132, Oakland 10
C. H. F. Braun to Henry Kluze—Lot 18 in Wright block 493, Oakland 10
Margaret E. wife of Joseph Kingsland, to Samuel W. Fraser—Lots 3 and 4, Kingsland tract, Brooklyn township 10
Leonce Gothwell to Charles G. Fisher—Lot 6, block 1, Haywards Park Homestead Union, Eden township 5
John P. Silva to Manuel S. Forte—Square at SE corner Ashland avenue and road from Haywards to San Leandro, Eden township 10
J. N. Williams to Mary E. wife of N. Jones—S Dwight way, 215 E from Tremont street, E 50x122 6/5, Berkeley 100
Stephen H. Nourse and wife to Frank Jaynes—Lots 3 to 6, block 1, Haywards Park Homestead Union, Eden township 10
Sarah A. McKee to John P. Von Herrlich—Lots 9 to 12, block 1, McKee tract, Oakland township 10
Charles E. Burgans to V. T. and J. B. Pollier—Lots 4, 5, 18, block 1, Newbury tract, Oakland township 10
Charles F. Caswell and wife to Daniel Downey—W Linden street, 102½ S from Twenty-eighth, S 68½x132, Oakland 1850
Hibbard McDaniel to Sarah McDaniel—Undivided ½ interest S Webster street, 86 E from Grove, E 50x125, Oakland 5
I. S. Sherman to Mary, wife of M. S. Jones—Lots 28 and 29, block B, Fruit Vale Villa tract, Brooklyn township 5
A. D. Wilson to C. K. Pitcher et al.—Lots 14, 15, 16, block 6, and lots 1 and 2, and E ½ 3, block 5, East Oakland Heights, Oakland 10
California Improvement Company to Susan L. Milner—5 acres, containing 2.0000 acres, and all other small parcel in Laundry Farm, Brooklyn township 10
John W. Hearst to same—97/100 acres, portion lots 5 and 6, block 62, subdivision 1, Park Place, same 10
S. L. Savage to A. W. Bishop—5 acres, portion plot 25, Rancho El Valle de San Jose, Murray township 25
Frank M. Wilson to Louisa Kuhlmann—Lots 6 and 7, block 3, Haley's Scenic Park tract, Berkeley 10
William Willie to same—Lot 5, block 15, same tract 10
P. H. Stubbe to Antonio L. de Frago—W Magnolia street, 125 N from Thirty-fourth, N 50, W 125 to 2 to Peralta, S 52½, E 140½, Oakland 10
Alexander G. Gunn and wife to Harry C. Boyd—NE 56.69 feet lot 4, block E, Revised Map Oak Tree Farm tract, Brooklyn township 1750
Allen T. Ayres to Mary E. Wright—NW Seventh avenue, 50 N from East Tenth street, NE 109x150, Oakland 10

MORTGAGES.

THURSDAY, February 19th.

E. M. Swain and wife to Trustees San Francisco Savings Union—Deed of Trust NE corner Dana street and Dwight way, E 150 N 300, Berkeley ..... $ 1000
Stephen H. Covert to Jennie Covert, his wife—E Franklin street, 75 51/12 N from Fourteenth, N 50x130, Oakland 2500
Samuel W. Fraser to Margaret E., wife of Joseph Kingsland—As in deed 800
John P. Von Herrlich to Sarah A. McKee—As in deed 1700
Lizzie G., wife of Robert R. Yates, to S. Maguire—Lots 11 and 12, Hawley tract, Alameda 1000
George H. Marchant to John Black—NW ¼, lot 3, block 1, Shaw tract, Berkeley 300
Robert Hickmott and wife to P. J. Ritter—8.26 acres at NE corner Dublin road and road from Haywards to Moraga Valley, also, 27.51 acres at NW corner Dublin road and Foresta avenue, Eden township 10,000
Catherine A. Buckley to Oakland Bank of Savings—3 Albion street, 84½ W from Telegraph avenue, W 62½, S 141.11, E 62½, N 142½, Oakland 2500
Jens P. Simonsen to Same—Lot 4 and portion 5, block A, Oakland View Homestead, Oakland 1000
Jacob Pobley to Same—W Center street, 127 N from Railroad avenue, N 25, W 95½, S 25.41½, E 94.11, Oakland 1250
Daniel Downey to Same—W Linden street, 102½ S from Twenty-eighth, S 68½x132, Oakland 1000
James S. Nicholas and wife to Same—E Twenty-third avenue 150 N from E Fourteenth street, N 25x150, Oakland 1000
Antonio L. de Frago to Peter H. Stubbe—As in deed 650
Johanna Modigan to Oakland Bank of Savings—NE corner B and Hollis streets, E 25x100, Oakland 900

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

100 Alpha Con	.80	100 Gild&Curry	.2 15
100 Andes	1 05	50 Hale & N'c	2 35
300 Belcher	1 05	50 Kentuck	60
500 B. Hill	70	50 Mexican	2 50
270 Best & Be	2 70	50 Ophir	80
200 Bullion	2 00	50 Potosi	1 45
100 Bulwer	50	200 Savage	2 25
220 Challenge	2 15	200 Sierra Nev	2 30
72 C. Con	1 35	50 Union Con	2 30
200 Cwlth	75	100 Utah	75
450 C C & V	2 95	200 Yellow J	2 25
100 Crown P	1 05		

THE STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE

SAN FRANCISCO, February 18, 1891.

BID.	ASKED	BID.	ASKED
UNITED STATES BONDS.			
4s Coups	104½	—	4s, Coups	102½	—
4s registrd	104½	—	4s, regisd	101½	—
MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.			
C. C. W. C.	99	—	S R of Cales	110¾	—
Dupont st.	105	—	Omnibus C.	117½	118
F. & C. H.	—	108	P. R. 6 p c.	101	—
Mar. Park	—	108	S. C. G. R.	—	100½
Mkt St Cable	122½	123	S. C. H. R. R.	—	109
Monterey Av	—	90	Cwl. St. R.	—	118
Nev Co nr R	102½	106	P. of Ariz	103	104
N. R. C. R. R.	99	102	P. R. R. 6	112	113½
N Pac R R	—	115	P. R. R. 5	99½	—
N. R. R of Cal.	—	102½	P. Dr R R	107½	107½
Oakland Gas	—	—	V. W. gpc	118½	125
L. & H Co.	101	—	V. W. 1pc	—	95
BANK STOCKS.					
Anglo-Cal	—	76	Paris & A	124½	—
Bank of Cal	—	282½	London and S. F. Bank	—	87
Cal Sfe Dep	—	—	Pacific	—	170
Cal Trst Co.	48	—	Pacific Ex	—	20
First Natl	169	173			
WATER STOCKS.					
Spring Vly	93½	93¾	Contra Costa	30	35½
Blue Lakes	15	—	Marin Co.	47	—
GAS STOCKS.					
Central	52½	—	Pac Lig Co	—	55
Los Angeles	55	—	San Fran'co	—	50¼
Oakland	—	37½	Stockton	30	50
Pac C. Imp	72½	75			
RAILROAD STOCKS.					
California	108	110	Ceary	—	100
Central	—	45	R & M	52	54
City	—	100	Omnibus	71	75½
F. & C. H.	—	45	Fresno	27	50
INSURANCE STOCKS.					
Anglo Nev.	—	—	Home Mut	150	—
California	110	115	Merchants' Exchange	80	90
Commercial	87	—	Union	82	—
Firemen's F.	175	—			
POWDER STOCKS.					
Atlantic D.	39	41	Giant Nitro	75	81½
California	150	—	Vigorit	—	3
Giant	48	50	Vulcan	—	24
MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.					
B. H. C. G.	22	—	Merchants E.	—	110
C. A. S. F. C.	—	56	O S I C	—	80
Cal E. L. Co.	1½	1¾	Pac. C. H. Co.	90	—
Cal Elec W.	2½	7	Pac. L. A N. C.	—	22½
Haw. C. & S. H	14½	—	Pac Pipe L	—	110
Hutch S. Co.	19	—	Pac Rol. M.	—	105
Judson M. C.	18¾	20	Pac W & C C	—	85

SALES.

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VERY MANY PEOPLE ARE SICK

Prevalent Diseases Make the Doctors Busy and Rich.

Disorders of the Respiratory Organs Are Common—Unusual Death Rate in Oakland.

During the past ten or twelve days an unusual number of deaths have occurred in Oakland and its environs and many more people have died since the first of February than usual. Since the 9th inst. 43 death certificates have been recorded at the Health Office, of which number 22 deaths occurred in the city, while the total number of deaths for so much of the month as has passed reaches the unusually large number of 66. Most of these have occured from pneumonia or bronchial affections, and the cause of the large mortality is due, for the most part, to the condition of the weather and the prevalence of influenza, not only here, but throughout the State. Said Dr. Pinkerton, President of the Board of Health, in speaking of the matter: "I have noticed the great number of deaths in the city recently and the large amount of sickness prevailing at the present time. It is mostly climatic in nature and is due to the change of the weather, which affects people with weak constitutions. There is an unusual number of colds at present which are out of the ordinary, and partake more of the features of la grippe. There is a great deal more illness than usual in the city, and most of it is caused by diseases that affect the air passages and affect respiration. There is very little diphtheria and there are very few cases of zymotic disease.

Dr. E. H. Woolsey said this morning that there is a great deal of sickness in Oakland at the present time. Diphtheria appears to be on the increase and in the vicinity of Lake Merritt there is much sickness.

"The influenza is with us again," said the doctor. "It has a distinguishing characteristic and is different from the disease of last year. In some of the cases I have attended I found this characteristic; low temperature and slow pulse. You see a patient who coughs incessantly, face flushed, headache and soreness in some parts of the body you would think there would be a rise in the temperature. Not so in these cases. As I said, it is surprising to find the patients with a low temperature and slow pulse. There are many things that we cannot account for, and this is one of them." Dr. Woolsey has a large number of patients at present, and is kept very busy.

AMUSEMENTS.

The humorous comedy *Ole Olson*, a play describing scenes in the career of a fresh Scandinavian immigrant, will be given at the Oakland Theater Friday and Saturday evenings. Songs and dances occur frequently. The sole object is to amuse and this object is said to be fulfilled.

Corinne, the pretty and plump star, 17 years old, will be at the Oakland Theater next Monday and Tuesday evenings.

COAL.

The New Cut Made by the Pacific Iron and Nail Works.

In another column of to-day's TRIBUNE, the Pacific Iron and Nail Works announce another cut in the price of coal. Read the advertisement.

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LADIES Would do well to take note that Mme. Fix, formerly of 628 Seventeenth street, has moved her Dressmaking Parlors to 633 Fourteenth street, where she has larger and more elegant quarters and is prepared to give full satisfaction to old customers and others wishing the very latest New York and Paris Fashions.

REMOVAL.
DR. MARY H. KENNEY
HAS REMOVED HER OFFICE AND RESidence to 1006 Clay street, corner of Tenth where she has added massage, electricity and all kinds of baths for the treatment of all nervous and chronic diseases.

BONDS FOR SALE.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERvisors of Alameda County, California, made January 26, 1891, sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Treasurer of said County, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, until 12 o'clock noon of the ninth day of March 1891, for the purchase of ten bonds of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars each, of the Piedmont School District of Alameda County. Said bonds were issued by said Board of Supervisors under and in accordance with the provisions of Sections 1880 to 1888, both inclusive, of the Political Code, and in conformity with an order of said Board passed January 26, 1891, and bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum until paid, interest payable on the first day of January of each year, out of and from the building fund of said School District, upon presentation and surrender to the Treasurer of said County of the interest coupons.

Said bonds are dated April 1st, 1891, are numbered consecutively one to ten inclusive, and mature as follows, to-wit:

One to two inclusive, six years from date.
Three to four inclusive, seven years from date.
Five to six inclusive, eight years from date.
Seven to eight inclusive, nine years from date.
Nine to ten inclusive, ten years from date.

Bids will be received for one or any larger number of said Bonds up to ten. All bids must be equal in amount to the par value of the bonds bid for, and accompanied by a certified check, or cash deposit, in the sum of at least ten per cent of the amount of the bid, payable to the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Piedmont School District of Alameda County. The said check or deposit will be returned in case of rejection of bid, and be forfeited to said Board of Trustees if the bidder neglects to pay for the bonds he bids for within five days after notice of the acceptance of the bid.

Upon the opening of said proposals said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidders, for cash in U. S. gold coin, subject to the above provisions.

All bids or proposals are to be addressed to the "Board of Trustees, Piedmont School District, care S. Huff, Treasurer Alameda County, Oakland, Cal.," and endorsed "Proposals for Bonds."

L. A. BOOTH,
WM. C. SAVAGE,
G. F. DANIELS,
Trustees Piedmont School District, Alameda County, Cal.

Dated, February 19, 1891.

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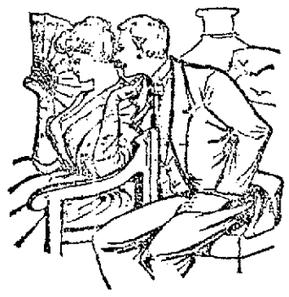

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ORDINANCE NO. —

An Ordinance Concerning the Construction of Sidewalks and Curbs in the City of Oakland.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF the City of Oakland as follows:

Section 1.—It is hereby declared to be unlawful for any person to construct or cause to be constructed in the City of Oakland any sidewalk or curb without first obtaining from the Board of Public Works of said city a permit in writing so to do, unless the construction of said sidewalk or curb shall have been ordered by the Council.

Section 2.—Said permit shall be issued by said Board to the person applying therefor, upon the payment of fifteen ($15) dollars as deposit, which deposit sum shall be retained by said Board until the completion of the sidewalk or curb in the permit described, and the removal of all debris caused by said construction. Said debris shall be removed within five (5) days after notice from the Superintendent of Streets, and, if not so removed, the Board of Public Works are hereby authorized to have the same done, at the expense of the contractor, and the deposit made to be applied in payment therefor. When sidewalk or curb are fully constructed and debris removed to the satisfaction of said Board and Superintendent of Streets, then the deposit shall be refunded by said Board to the depositor upon surrender and cancellation of said permit, provided, however, that in no case shall such permit be granted to construct sidewalk or curb where the Council has passed resolution of intention to construct such sidewalk or curb.

Section 3.—Said permit shall be upon blank forms provided by the Board of Public Works, and shall specify the name and residence of the applicant, the location of the property in front of which the proposed sidewalk or curb is to be constructed, the length and width of said walk or curb and the material to be used in its construction. Said permit shall also contain a true printed copy of the provisions of the ordinance or ordinances setting forth the specifications adopted

THE PRICE OF WATER

The Ordinance Submitted to the Council.

RATES RECOMMENDED BY COMMITTEE.

Registration for the City Election Will Not Close Until the End of This Week.

The City Council held an adjourned meeting last night at which all the members were present.

Petitions were received as follows:

From T. J. Toole, asking to be exempted from payment of advertising costs for new sidewalks in front of his place. Referred to the Street Committee.

From Chief of Police J. W. Tompkins, who reported: "Peter Peters, who conducts a saloon at 826 Broadway, has a back room which is a disreputable rendezvous, and almost nightly the scene of disgusting orgies, which are participated in by both sexes. Trusting you honorable body will find it convenient to investigate this matter," etc.

From the Oakland Paving Company, for an extension of ten days on their contract to complete street work on Louisa street. Granted.

From Mrs. Anna Reier, to build a frame house at 512 Eighth street in the fire limits. Referred to the Fire and Water Committee in conjunction with the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department.

William Gross et al. petitioned for electric lights as follows: One at Eighteenth and Adeline streets, Eighteenth and Poplar streets, Sixteenth and Union streets, and Fourteenth and Adeline streets. Referred to Street Light Committee.

From J. W. Nelson for a gas lamp on Linden street, betwen Sixteenth and Eighteenth streets.

From Emily M. Vrooman for an extension of time to construct sidewalk on Twelfth street, between Washington and Clay streets. Referred to the Street Committee.

From W. W. Slater for a sewer in Ninth avenue from old town line to 250 feet northerly. Granted.

From Mrs. G. E. Yates notifying Council that cement sidewalks will be laid in front of her property on East Seventeenth street, corner of Tenth avenue. Referred.

From Lucy F. Herrick et al. to reduce the width of sidewalk on Twelth street, between Kirkham and Adeline streets, from eighteen to fourteen feet. Referred to Board of Public Works.

From John Herd, complaining about the condition of Merrimac street. Referred to Board of Public Works.

From Mary L. Fannery for a sewer in Campbell street, from Thirteenth to Sixteenth street.

From T. F. Graber et al., for cement walks on Twenty-first street, between Market street and San Pablo avenue. Referred to Street Committee.

From Charles R. Look et al., to have width of sidewalks reduced from 18 to 14 feet on East Fourteenth street, from Thirteenth avenue to the city limits. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

From John A. Foster, for a sewer in Filbert street, from Thirtieth to Twenty-second streets. Referred to the Board of Public Works.

From Martin M. Dunn et al., to correct assessment for paving with bitumen Washington street. Filed.

From William F. Lewis et al., to withdraw names from protest against new sidewalks on East Seventeenth street. Referred, to come up when protest is heard.

Protests were received as follows:

From S. Windsor against opening East Twelfth street. Filed.

From Thomas Fraser et al. against sewering Sixth street, between Franklin and Webster streets.

Liquor license bonds were approved as follows: M. W. Holmes, 1251 San Pablo avenue; Knox & Hartz, 855 Twenty-seventh street; A. Campbell, 416 Eleventh street; B. G. Williams, 316 Twelfth street; John Harris, 413 Twelfth street; P. A. Lamping, 478 Tenth street, and W. Morris, corner East Twelfth street and Thirteenth avenue.

Proposals for a sewer in Third avenue were received from P. Heverin, John Greaney, John Geary and L. Kehoe. Referred to the Street Committee.

Proposals for a sewer in Ninetenth street were received from L. Kehoe, John Greaney, William Heafey and John Geary. Referred to Street Committee.

Proposals to construct a sewer in Tenth street were received from L. Kehoe, P. Heverin, John Greaney, John Geary and William Heafey.

H. G. Blasdel, who has applied for a franchise for a street railroad on Twenty-second avenue, etc., addressed a communication to the Council in which he agrees to pay to the city, at the expiration of five years after the road is completed and thereafter the sum of one quarter of 1 per cent per annum of the gross receipts of the road according to a verified statement of the same. The communication was filed.

An ordinance was also presented granting Mr. Blasdel a franchise to operate a street railroad along Park street and Twenty-third avenue to the northwesterly boundary line of the city. Referred to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

An ordinance concerning the construction of sidewalks and curbs was introduced by Mr. Camron. He stated that the object of the ordinance is to compel contractors to do work in proper shape, and not cheat the property owners. Passed to print.

An ordinance establishing grades on East Twelfth street, from First to Thirteenth avenues. Referred to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee.

Mayor Glascock returned with his approval an ordinance establishing the grade of a number of streets. He returned without his approval the ordinance making certain rules concerning the construction of cement sidewalks, among others one that each contractor shall make a deposit with the Board of Public Works before beginning work.

A resolution was passed ordering a new assessment on Fallon street for a sewer.

K. G. Easton was granted a twenty days' extension to complete his contract on Independence square.

Communications were received from the Board of Public Works as follows:

For an additional appropriation of $2,000 for dredging and wharf construction.

Recommending the opening of Twelfth avenue, from East Eleventh street to East Twenty-eighth street.

Recommending grading of Lafayette Square at a cost not to exceed $300.

Recommending catch basin on Seventh and Castro streets.

Recommending that the petition of J. B. Draper to connect with sewer in Old County Road et al. be granted.

Requesting that a grade be established on East Fifteenth street from Nineteenth avenue to boundary of the city.

Recommending Conrad Heinke for damages.

Reporting adversely on the petition of H. Fletcher to sewer Twenty-eighth street from Filbert to Linden.

Recommending granting of petitions of M. P. Powers for sewering Twenty-eighth street from Union to Poplar, and of F. M. Smith, for grading, etc, Ninth avenue from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-eighth streets.

Recommending an electric gas lighting apparatus in the new engine house at a cost not to exceed $300.

Recommending the repair of the old patrol wagon at a cost not to exceed $160.

The Water Rates.

The Fire and Water Committee presented the following report:

At the Council meeting held on Monday, February 2, 1891, the annual report of the Contra Costa Water Company was referred to your committee, with the request to prepare and submit an ordinance for the establishment of water rates. We have duly considered the subject matter in question. We have had before us the representatives of the water company, also some of our prominent citizens. In the deliberations of the committee the different members of the Council freely participated, and submitted many good suggestions to your committee. At the committee meeting on February 16th (all of the members of the Council were present), we took as a basis the ordinance fixing water rates for the year ending June 30, 1891. The ordinance was considered very carefully, section by section. We adopted a great many amendments to the ordinance, and in all cases said amendments were a material reduction upon the present rates. We herewith submit to your honorable body the ordinance as adopted by your committee, with the recommendation that it be passed.

The new ordinance was then read and referred to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee, with the recommendation that they report at the meeting next Tuesday night.

Registration for the City Election.

Councilman Evans stated that he had been looking up the law, and is satisfied that registration for the coming city election should remain open until fifteen days before the election. In this matter he said the Council is governed by the General law.

A resolution was passed extending the time until fifteen days before election.

The Council adjourned to meet next Tuesday night.

THE WORSE FOR HIM.

C. D. Crossman's Exploits in a San Francisco Dive.

C. D. Crossman, a gray-haired man who announced himself to be a member of a prominent church in this city and the head of a young men's society, has gained some unenviable notoriety in San Francisco. One night he entered a dance hall at the northeast corner of Washington and Kearny streets, and before long had fallen deeply in love with a rather tough looking woman named Sadie Rogers. Crossman spent his money freely and was lavish with his wine and beer, which he consumed with his lady love in a private box. Every night Crossman went into the dive and monopolized the entire time and attention of the fickle waitress.

Last Tuesday night Crossman appeared again and ordered beer in the same manner, giving his Sadie a ten-dollar gold piece. She returned only $4 change. This fact enraged Crossman, who had already spent over $100 on the woman, and he summoned Officers Cummings and Conboy, and after considerable time spent in explanation, he had Sadie taken to the City Prison. It remains to be seen how this church member gets out of the trap of Satan without injury to himself.

LICENSE COMES FROM HELL.

A Lady's Strong Language in Speaking of the Saloons.

Last evening Mrs. Clara C. Hoffman addressed a large audience in the Second Presbyterian Church on temperance matters. The lady is President of the Missouri Women's Christian Temperance Union. She was introduced by Rev. H. H. Rice. The speaker said that taxing saloons and attempting to regulate them had been tried and did not work. There is no more sense in dealing with intemperance and liquor selling in that way than with lying, theft, or any other vice or crime. The saloon evil is the sin of sins, and far worse than negro slavery. The allowance of it by the government is "a covenant with death and an agreement with hell." The high license scheme, without doubt, was concocted in hell. The only way to deal with the evil is to bar it our altogether. It is strange that so many good people oppose prohibition and even advocate the moderate use of liquors. What moderation can there be for a man with an inherited thirst for liquor burning in him? No community would allow a man to keep gunpowder in his cellar. No more should he be permitted to keep liquor in his house or store.

Mrs. Hoffman will lecture at the First Methodist Church tonight.

THE RACE MEETINGS.

Fixing the Programme for the Fairs in the Autumn.

Delegates from the various wards of the District Fair Association held a meeting last night at the office of the *Breeder and Sportsman* in San Francisco for the purpose of arranging the dates and programmes for the race meetings of this year. As some of the members had come from their boards without power to act the meeting did not amount to much. One important move made was the adoption of a resolution to the effect that the entries for each meeting shall close ten days before that meeting. By this method there will be a new classification of the horses at each meeting. The circuit will open with the Trotting Horse Breeders' meeting. Should a green horse come out there and make a record of 2:20 he will have to trot in the 2:20 class at Napa two weeks later.

According to this arrangement the entries for the Breeders' and San Jose meetings will close first, then Napa will close August 8th, Petaluma, August 15th, Oakland August 22d and Sacramento August 29th.

A proposition to reduce the entrance to 5 per cent was sat upon as soon as it showed its head. Ten per cent will be the figure all around.

WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE.

Strong Petitions for it Being Sent to the Legislature.

At the meeting of the Woman Suffrage Association held yesterday afternoon at the Women's Christian Temperance headquarters, 902 Clay street, Mrs. Emily Pitt Stevens presided and made a fine speech.

The ladies who are circulating the memorial for woman suffrage report a large number of signatures of prominent men and societies, which will be forwarded at once to the Legislature. The following are new members of the organization: Madame Wendte, Mrs. D. S. Calkin, Gertrude Lyforde, Miss Anna Reed, Miss Nellie Reed, Mrs. K. E. Brown, Mrs. E. J. Potter, Mrs. M. A. Albrun, Mrs. J. S. Sturtevant and Miss Eliza Higgins.

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BARGION RAIL IN THE EAST.

Secretary Morris Visiting Railroad Men in Chicago.

Great Interest Awaiting a Test of the California Invention—An Order From the Northwestern.

The first result of the trip East of J. E. Morris of this city, Secretary of the Bargion Rail Company, is thus described in a telegram in the San Francisco *Call*:

CHICAGO, February 18.—The current number of the *Railway Age* gave considerable space to a description of the Bargion compound rail, a California invention, for which many advantages over the steel rail now in use are claimed. It is announced that J. E. Morris of San Francisco, Secretary of the Bargion Company, who has been in the city for a couple of weeks, has just closed a contract with the Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company for a large lot of the rails. They will be laid on the Northwestern lines and subjected to a severe test. They will be shipped from San Francisco as soon as possible. To railroad men the idea of steel rails from California is a unique one. As one of them said today, it is a good exemplification of the old saying about "carrying coals to Newcastle." Mr. Morris is negotiating with other companies. The result of the test is awaited with much interest. If satisfactory, the Eastern rolling-mills will probably find a vigorous competitor on the Pacific coast.

The telegram is undoubtedly correct, but the local department of the *Call* made an extraordinary exhibition of ignorance and unfaithful news gathering in the local item which states that the San Francisco agent of the Chicago and Northwestern road knows nothing of the Bargion rail, and that the officers of the Southern Pacific Company know nothing of "such a man as Morris."

The Bargion compound rail has been fully described several times in THE TRIBUNE. It is the invention of P. Bargion, and the patent is owned by a company, in which V. D. Moody, President of the First National Bank, W. F. Boardman, Civil Engineer, George E. De Golia, L. W. Kennedy and others are interested. The rail was thoroughly tested on a straight track on the Seventh street line, and on a curved track in the Peralta street yards of the Southern Pacific Company. The rail was found satisfactory, and immeasurably superior to the ordinary steel rail. J. E. Morris, the Secretary of the Company, was Manager in Oakland of the Western Union Telegraph Company until he resigned to devote himself to the business of the Rail Company. He went East with the proofs of the satisfactory test signed by officers of the Southern Pacific Company, and with letters to the principal railroad men of the country.

The rails used for the test on the tracks of the Southern Pacific Company were made at the Union Iron Works, San Francisco.

FOOLISH WOMEN.

Why Will They be so Thoughtless and Careless Even About Matters Which Concern Their Beauty.

The plainest features become pretty when clothed with a fresh, velvety skin. It is in the power of every woman to have a soft, fine skin, thus adding much to her charms, if she will devote a little time and care to her toilet. It should be a duty as well as a pleasure to every woman to enchance her powers of attractiveness.

So says the highest authority in London. But nothing can be more absurd than for any lady to try and be beautiful by simply powdering the face, or applying cream or ointment. These things are necessary, it is true; but something else is more important. Good refreshing sleep. Warm circulating blood which never permits cold feet or blue noses. These things make beauty quicker than any powders or lotions can. But my lady reader says, how can this be done? Keep the blood moving by some gentle stimulant, and for this purpose nothing is equal to pure whiskey. Not the whiskey one commonly hears of; no, the questionable kind that is drunk by gross of men in grosser places, but some thing natural, healthy and pleasing. This is precisely what Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is, and what has made it so immeasurably popular. The best doctors in the land prescribe it. The great scientists endorse it. In it all those qualities are found which make it a great friend to women. It relieves the sufferings to which they are so subjected; counteracts the wearing effects which so often cause women to grow old prematurely.

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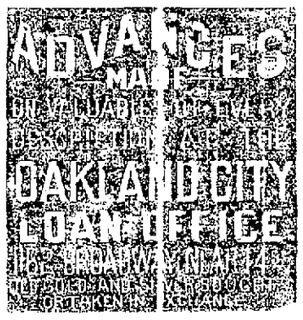

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8.57 A.	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Galt, Ione, Sacramento, Marysville, Oroville and Red Bluff	4.20 P.
9.30 A.	Los Angeles Express for Fresno, Bakersfield, Mojave and East and Los Angeles	10.40 A.
12.27 P.	Haywards, Niles and Livermore	7.20 P.
3.25 P.	Haywards, Niles and San Jose, (Tres Pinos, Santa Cruz, Monterey and principal Way Stations	9.20 A.
4.28 P.	Martinez, Vallejo and Calistoga	9.20 A.
4.25 P.	Elverano and Santa Rosa	*9.20 A.
4.30 P.	Sunset Route, Atlantic Express, for Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Deming, El Paso, New Orleans and East	8.10 P.
4.30 P.	Lathrop and Stockton	10.40 A.
*4.56 P.	Niles and Livermore	*8.23 A.
	Niles and San Jose	10.50 A.
5.00 P.	Sacramento and Knights Landing, via Davis	9.40 A.
6.25 P.	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7.20 A.
7.30 P.	Central Atlantic Express for Ogden and East	11.45 A.
7.30 P.	Vallejo	10.10 P.
9.30 P.	Shasta Route Express, for Sacramento, Marysville and Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	3.10 A.

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7:40 A. 3:30 P.	8:00 A.	Fulton, Windsor, Healdsburg, Litton Springs, Cloverdale, and Way Stations.	7:25 P.	10:30 A. 6:05 P.
7:40 A.	8:00 A.	Honcut and Ukiah.	7:25 P.	6:05 P.
7:10 A.	8:00 A.	Guerneville.	7:25 P.	6:05 P.
7:10 A. 5:00 P.	8:00 A. 5:00 P.	Sonoma and Glen Ellen.	10:40 A. 6:36 P.	8:45 A. 6:05 P.
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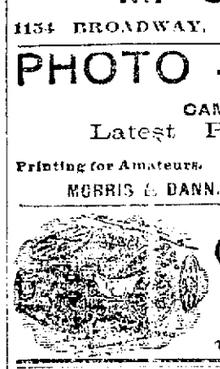

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THE LAND OF THE TSAR.

An Exile Tells the Condition of the Oppressed Subjects.

It is doubtful if the Congregational Chapel at the corner of Clay and Thirteenth streets ever before held so large a crowd as it did last night. The attraction was a lecture on Russia and the habits and laws of its people, by M. Alexandrovich Schutz, A. E., a subject of the Tsar who is in exile for incurring the displeasures of the powers that be. The church chapel was crowded to the doors and the lecture was well worth the attendance. In brief the speaker said that the present condition of affairs is worse than can be found in any other civilized country on the face of the earth. The government keeps its hold upon its subjects by not allowing them to enlighten themselves by reading works upon political economy, philosophy, or even to study the geography of the country. About the only thing they are allowed to learn is grammar, which they have to recite like parrots. Free speech is not tolerated for an instant. The most revolting acts imaginable are committed, and a Russian dare not open his mouth against the ever-increasing oppression. Still, in some instances it is equally dangerous to be silent. The speaker recalled an incident occurring at a railroad accident in which the Czar's pet dog was killed. A number of peasants were standing in a knot discussing the accident and expressed sorrow that the dog had met such a fate. One of the peasants remained silent and was arrested and sent to Siberia, the spy reasoning that the man was silent because of his regret that the Czar was not killed instead of the dog.

Another case quite as bad was when a doctor was stopped by a spy, who demanded to know what he was doing on the street at that time of night. Being informed that he was on his way to see a sick patient the spy wanted to know if the patient had a permit from the Censors to get sick. The liberty of the press is something that does not exist, and the persecution of the Jews is insignificant when compared with that of the Nihilists. The latter are not necessarily dynamiters, but are people of some education who have dared to express their dissatisfaction with the Government for these outrages. In Russia, the speaker said, the whole American people would be classed as Nihilists and sent to Siberia, for their free speech. The Nihilists are mostly a kindhearted people, well educated, intellectual and progressive, who use their superior brains and acquired knowledge simply to improve the condition of the race. There is nothing sacred to the Russian police. They have spies whose own wives or husbands do not know of the calling. They may be employed in one's own household without being known. It is often asked why the people do not leave the country where such abuses exist. The fact is, if a Russian remains in his country he has hard work to keep out of jail; and if he is caught attempting to leave, he will certainly be taken in charge and transported. In leaving the place you have to escape as you would from a jail.

GENERAL AND ADMIRAL.

Memorial Resolutions Passed by a Grand Army Post.

The following memorial resolutions have been passed by Lyon Post, Grand Army of the Republic:

WHEREAS, In accordance with the immutable laws of nature as established by the supreme Commander of the Universe, He, in His awise providence, has seen fit to remove from the midst of his family, and the comrades of his late comrades in arms, the head of the nine preceded march "from Atlanta to the Sea," our beloved comrade and late military commander, in the great struggle for the preservation of our national integrity and unity, William Tecumseh Sherman; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, his late comrades in arms, members of Lyon Post, No. 5, Grand Army of the Republic of California, while bowing in humble submission to the divine will, desire to express our sorrow, and mingle our tears with the bereaved family of our deceased comrade in this the time of their loneliness and sadness; it seems but yesterday that he was the guest of our fair city on Oakland day during the Twentieth National Encampment, and spoke to us cheerful words.

Resolved, That we remember with pride and satisfaction the distinguished and distinguished services rendered by our late comrade in suppressing treason, in defense of the old flag and our common country, the great American Union, and we believe that his name will go down in history with those of Washington, Grant, Sheridan, Thomas and others as one of the greatest military heroes of ancient and modern history.

Resolved, That we remember his unassuming and kindly disposition in his intercourse with us as comrades and survivors of the great struggle and sorrow; that we are deprived of his presence with us; we are admonished by his demise that our ranks are rapidly thinning, and that the Grand Army which accompanied our late comrade on his march to the sea is swiftly passing over the sea of time to the territory beyond, and that soon the place that now knows us shall know us no more.

Resolved, That we express our heartfelt sympathy with the family of our late comrade, and with E. L. Ransome, Post Department of Missouri, of which he was a member.

Resolved, That the charter of this post be draped for a period of thirty days, and that each comrade wear the usual badge of mourning for the same period.

WHEREAS, Death and the grave are the common heritage of all, whether he may possess or lack, whether he be rich or poor, great or small, wise or ignoble, and there is no discharge in that war; those who go down to the sea in ships, as well as those that pitch their tents in camp and field, are cut down by the great reaper; and whereas, this remorseless destroyer has visited us again and removed from earthly scenes, our beloved comrade and naval commander, ADMIRAL DAVID D. PORTER; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, his late comrades of Lyon Post, No. 5, Department of California, Grand Army of the Republic, while bowing submissively to this sudden taking away of one of the last of our naval heroes, desire to express our sorrow and our regret, and to mourn with those near and dear to him at their and the nation's loss in this dispensation of providence.

Resolved, That while our hearts are bowed down and stricken, we at the same time remember and are glad to recount in our meetings, together as comrades, the great services he has rendered our nation during the sixty-two years which he gave to her navy. These services were not only eminent during our civil war for the preservation of our Union, but were rendered during the war with Mexico. We remember, also, his diplomatic services as Commissioner, and other good work done for the welfare of our country during his long and honorable career.

Resolved, That we extend our tenderest sympathy with his sorrowing widow and children in this hour of their bereavement and loss.

Resolved, That the charter of this post be draped for thirty days, and that each comrade wear the usual badge of mourning for the same period.

Plenty of Water in the Mountains.

SUSANVILLE, February 18.—Enough rain has fallen to insure good crops and fill the reservoirs. The indications, however, point to a continuance. The rainfall is fourteen and one-half inches. Snow has fallen and the mail for this place has been somewhat delayed. The Susanville mail was taken out by men on snow shoes.

A Hung Jury.

SACRAMENTO, February 18.—The jury in the case of Eduardo Frediana, the Italian charged with the murder of his countryman, Guseppe Scatini, was today discharged, not having been able to agree after being out all night. The jury stood nine to three in favor of conviction.

Bismarck Does Not Believe It.

LONDON, February 18.—The *Pall Mall Gazette* this evening publishes dispatches from its Berlin correspondent, stating that Bismarck is convinced that the report published as to the Emperor's injurious opinion of himself is untrue, and invented by Bismarck's enemies.

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Notice of Award of Street Contract.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE City Council of the City of Oakland, Cal., in open evening session of the 16th day of Feby., 1891, did by Resolution No. 15,886 award the contract for the following:

That Center street in said city, from the south line of Railroad avenue or Seventh street to the north line of Third street be graded, curbed with wood and macadamized in the second-class; also, that 4 crosswalks and two ironstone pipe culverts of 18-inch diameter, with 4 8-inch diameter branches, be constructed in the crossing of Center street at 8th street; also, that all manholes and catchbasin covers within the limits of the work be brought to grade where not already done, and that the present wooden covers of manholes be replaced with iron covers with ventilating flue in manhole as called for in Resolution No. 15,577, and in the Notice to Contractors heretofore posted and published herein, in pursuance thereof to The Oakland Paving Co., at the prices specified in its proposal on file for said work.

Said award has been duly approved by John R. Glascock, Mayor of the City of Oakland.

J. M. BRADY,
City Clerk.

Oakland, Feb. 18, 1891.

ELECTION NOTICE!

SCHOOL TAX.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE qualified electors of Mowry's Landing school district, County of Alameda, State of California, that an election will be held on the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1891, at which will be submitted the question of voting a tax to build a school house in Mowry's Landing school district, Alameda County, Cal. It will be necessary to raise for this purpose the sum of $840.

The polls will be open at the residence of W. Jury, from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. The judges appointed to conduct the election are

CHARLES RICHARDS, EDWARD RYAN,
HENRY BLACKMAN, WILLIAM JURY,
ROBERT ANDERSON, GEORGE RYAN,
Judges. District School Trustees.

Grading of University Ground.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR GRADING, LEVELING, covering with soil and rolling the Student's Campus of the University Grounds, in Berkeley, Cal., will be received at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Regents, Berkeley, Cal., until Saturday, 28th February, 1891, at 12 M., when the bids will be opened in the presence of the bidders. Specifications may be seen at the same place. A bond or certified check for 10 per cent of the bid will be required. The right to reject any or all bids reserved.

By order of the Committee on Grounds and Buildings.

J. H. C. BONTE, Secretary.
Berkeley, February 18th, 1891.

Sealed Proposals.

BIDS FOR FURNITURE AND FITTINGS OF the new Chemical Laboratory at Berkeley will be received at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Regents, Berkeley, until Saturday, 28th February, 1891, at 12 M., when bids will be open in the presence of the bidders.

Drawings and specifications may be seen at the same place. A bond or certified check for 10 per cent of the bid will be required. The right to reject any or all bids reserved.

By order of the Committee on Grounds and Buildings.

J. H. C. BONTE, Secretary.
Berkeley, February 18, 1891.

Notice of Street Work.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ON THE 6th day of February, A. D. 1891, the City Council of the City of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention number 15,866, to order the following street work to be done, viz: The East 41st street from a point 130 feet east of 24th avenue to a point 330 feet west of 29th avenue, to be sewered with a vitrified stoneware pipe, and have manholes and Y branches constructed thereon.

For further particulars, reference is hereby made to said resolution and specifications for sewer work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in THE OAKLAND DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, February 13, 1891.

J. S. WALL,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Oakland.

Probate Notice.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNty of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Margaret D. Schmadeke, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Margaret D. Schmadeke, deceased, and for the issuance to Elizabeth Jeffrey, of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1891, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 2 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in the County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated February 12, 1891.

JAMES E. CRANE,
Clerk.

ROBERT EDGAR,
Deputy Clerk.

EDWARD E. TAYLOR, Attorney for

Legal.

NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL ELECTION FOR THE CITY OF OAKLAND,

TO BE HELD ON THE

Second Monday in March,

(March 9th, 1891.)

Whereas, Section 7 Article 2 of the City Charter of Oakland provides that General Municipal Elections shall be held biennially on the second Monday in March next after the adoption of the said Charter, and

Whereas, the Charter of the said City of Oakland was adopted February 14th, 1889, by the Legislature of the State pursuant to the Constitution of California, therefore be it

Resolved, that a General Municipal Election be held in the said City of Oakland on Monday, March 9th, 1891, and

Whereas, Section 8 of Article 2 of the said City Charter provides that the provisions of Title 2, Part 3 of the Political Code, relating to elections, and all laws amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and all rights, duties, liabilities and restrictions arising thereunder, not inconsistent with the provisions of this Charter are hereby, so far as the same can be applied, made applicable to all municipal elections, and the respective officers of the city, shall have, possess and perform such powers and duties in all matters relating to Municipal Elections, as are by law conferred or imposed upon County Officers and Officers of Election in State and County elections, and to that end all rights and powers and duties so by law conferred or imposed upon the Board of Supervisors, are hereby conferred upon the Council, and,

WHEREAS, Section 1129 of the Political Code (Title 2, Part 3) provides that the Board of Supervisors or other boards having charge of election in each of the cities of the State may from time to time change the boundaries of, create new or consolidate established precincts, with the proviso that there shall be sufficient to make the number of votes polled in any one precinct to be no more than two hundred (200) as nearly as can be ascertained, and

WHEREAS, this Council has never created or established precincts for the City of Oakland, and

WHEREAS, Section 1150 of the Political Code (Title 2, Part 3) says no precinct must be established, nor must the boundaries of one already established be altered within 30 days next preceding a general or special election, and

WHEREAS, the boundaries of the precincts of the last General Municipal Election were held under a former apportionment now not in operation by reason of a changed condition of the ward boundaries of the city of Oakland, in keeping with the provisions and directions of the City Charter, therefore the following shall be the boundaries of the ward precincts of the city of Oakland:

The FIRST WARD of the City of Oakland is hereby divided into Election Precincts as follows, to-wit:

PRECINCT No. 1, which shall consist of that portion of the First ward of the city of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) Street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the city of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Wood street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the city of Oakland, and on the south and west by the charter line of the city of Oakland.

PRECINCT No. 2, which shall consist of that portion of the First ward of the city of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, on the east by the center line of Campbell street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the city of Oakland; on the south by said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Wood street and its extension southerly to the said charter line.

PRECINCT No. 3, which shall consist of that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street; on the east by the center line of Dearborn street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the city of Oakland; on the south by the said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Campbell street and its extension southerly to the said charter line.

PRECINCT No. 4, which shall consist of that portion of the First ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the east by a line described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street with the center line of Peralta street, thence southerly along the center line of Peralta street to the center line of Center street, thence southerly along the center line of Center street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, bounded on the south by the center line of Twelfth street, and its extension westerly to the charter line of the city of Oakland, and on the west by the said charter line of the city of Oakland.

THE SECOND WARD of the city of Oakland is hereby divided into five election precincts, as follows, to-wit:

PRECINCT NO. 1, which shall consist of that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of the city of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Adeline street; on the south by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the center line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the charter line of the City of Oakland.

PRECINCT NO. 2, which shall consist of that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of the City of Oakland; on the east by the center line of Wood street; on the south by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the charter line of the City of Oakland.

PRECINCT NO. 3, which shall consist of that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street; on the east by the center line of Peralta street; on the south by the center line of Center street; on the west by the center line of Adeline street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland.

PRECINCT NO. 4, which shall consist of that portion of the Second ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street and its extension westerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the east by a line described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Peralta street with the center line of Twenty-second (22d) street, thence southerly along the center line of Peralta street to the center line of Center street, thence southerly along the center line of Center street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, bounded on the south by the center line of Twelfth street, and its extension westerly to the charter line of the city of Oakland, and on the west by the said charter line of the city of Oakland.

THE THIRD WARD of the City of Oakland is hereby divided into three election precincts, as follows, to-wit:

PRECINCT NO. 1, which shall consist of that portion of the Third ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street, on the east by the center line of Market street, on the south by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, and on the west by a line described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twelfth (12th) street with the center line of Center street, thence northerly along the center line of Center street to the center line of Prospect street to the center line of Cemetery creek, being the old charter line of the City of Oakland, thence southerly along said Cemetery Creek to a point where the said Cemetery Creek is intersected by the center line of Walnut or Twenty-second (22nd) street, thence westerly to and along the center line of said Walnut or 22nd street to the center line of Telegraph avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street or Charter street, thence westerly to the center line of Grove street and thence northerly along the center line of Grove street to the beginning. And

PRECINCT NO. 2 shall consist of that portion of the second ward of the city of Oakland bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point where the center line of Caledonia street intersects the center line of Grove street, thence easterly along the center line of Caledonia street and the center line of Prospect street to the center line of Cemetery Creek, being the old charter line of the City of Oakland, thence southerly along said Cemetery Creek to a point where the said Cemetery Creek is intersected by the center line of Walnut or Twenty-second (22nd) street, thence westerly to and along the center line of said Walnut or 22nd street to the center line of Telegraph avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street or Charter street, thence westerly to the center line of Grove street and thence northerly along the center line of Grove street to the beginning. And

PRECINCT NO. 3 shall consist of that portion of the second ward of the city of Oakland bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northern boundary line of the city of Oakland, where it is intersected by Cemetery creek, thence southerly along the center of Cemetery creek to where it intersects the center line of Walnut or Twenty second street, thence easterly along the center of Walnut or Twenty-second street, extended easterly to the center of the westerly arm of Lake Merritt, thence southerly along the center of said arm to the old charter line of Oakland; thence easterly along said old charter line of Oakland to the dividing line between Oakland and Brooklyn townships, thence northerly and easterly along said dividing line between Oakland and Brooklyn townships to its intersection with the easterly extension of the first-mentioned northern boundary line of the city of Oakland, thence westerly along the last-named extension to the point of beginning.

The THIRD WARD of the City of Oakland is hereby divided into three election precincts, as follows, to-wit:

PRECINCT NO. 1, which shall consist of that portion of the Third ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street, on the east by the center line of Market street, on the south by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, and on the the west by a line described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twelfth (12th) street with the center line of Center street, thence northerly along the center line of Center street to the center line of Prospect street, thence northerly along the center line of Peralta street to the intersection with the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street.

PRECINCT NO. 2, which shall consist of that portion of the Third ward of the city of Oakland bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twelfth (12th) street with the center line of Market street, thence northerly along center line of Market street to the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street, thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street to the center line of Brush street, thence southerly along the center line of Brush street to the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street, thence easterly along the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street, to the center line of Jefferson street, thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, and thence westerly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) street to the place of beginning.

PRECINCT No. 3, which shall consist of that portion of the City of Oakland, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Brush street, with the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street, thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street, to the center line of Telegraph avenue, thence southerly along center line of Telegraph avenue to the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street, thence westerly along the center line of Seventeenth (17th) street to the center line of Jefferson street, thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street, thence westerly along the center line of Fifteenth (15th) street, to the center line of Brush street, thence northerly along the center line of Brush street and thence northerly along the center line of Brush street, to the place of beginning.

THE FOURTH WARD of the city of Oakland is hereby divided into four election precincts as follows:

PRECINCT No. 1, which shall consist of that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Twelfth (Tenth) street, on the east by the center line of Adeline street, and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the south by the said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Center street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

PRECINCT NO. 2, which shall consist of that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland, bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (Tenth) street, on the east by the center line of Market street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the south by the said charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the center line of Adeline street and its extension southerly to the said charter line.

PRECINCT No. 3, which shall consist of that portion of the Fourth ward of the City of Oakland, described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Twelfth street, thence easterly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, to the center line of Jefferson street, thence southerly along the center line of Jefferson street to the center line of Tenth (10th) street, thence westerly along the center line of Tenth street to the center line of Castro street; thence southerly along the center line of Castro street and its extension to the charter line of the city of Oakland; thence westerly along said charter line to extension westerly of the center line of Market street; thence northerly to and along the center line of Market street to the center line of Tenth (10th) street, thence westerly along the center line of Tenth (10th) street to the center line of Adeline street, and thence northerly along the center line of Adeline street to the place of beginning, and

PRECINCT NO. 4, which shall consist of that portion of the Fourth ward of the city of Oakland bounded as follows: Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street, on the east by the center line of Jefferson street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the south by the said charter line, and on the west by the center line of Adeline street and its extension southerly to the said charter line.

THE FIFTH WARD of the City of Oakland is hereby divided into five election precincts, as follows, to-wit:

PRECINCT NO. 1, which shall consist of that portion of the Fifth ward of the city of Oakland bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point where the center line of Broadway street intersects the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street, thence southerly along the center line of Broadway to the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street, thence westerly along the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street to the center line of Peralta street, thence southerly along the center line of Peralta street to the center line of Center street, thence southerly along the center line of Center street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, bounded on the south by the center line of Twelfth street, and its extension westerly to the charter line of the city of Oakland, and on the west by the said charter line of the City of Oakland.

THE SIXTH WARD of the City of Oakland is hereby divided into five election precincts, as follows, to-wit:

Precinct No. 1, which shall consist of that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland, bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street, on the east by the center line of Washington street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the south by the charter line of the City of Oakland, and on the west by the center line of Jefferson street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

Precinct No. 2, which shall consist of that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland, bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Seventh (7th) street, on the east by the center line of Harrison street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the City of Oakland, on the south by the said charter line and on the west by the center line of Washington street and its extension southerly to said charter line.

PRECINCT NO. 3, which shall consist of that portion of the Sixth ward of the City of Oakland bounded as follows:

Bounded on the north by the center line of Tenth (10th) street and its extension easterly to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships, on the east by the said township line, on the south by the charter line of the city of Oakland and on the west by a line described as follows: Beginning at a point where the center line of Webster street intersects the center line of Tenth street, thence southerly along center line of Webster street to the center line of Seventh (7th) street, thence easterly along the center line of Seventh (7th) street to the center line of Harrison street, and thence southerly along the center line of Harrison street to the charter line of the city of Oakland. And the

SEVENTH WARD of the city of Oakland is hereby divided into five election precincts as follows:

PRECINCT NO. 1, which shall consist of that portion of the Seventh ward of the city of Oakland, described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Eighth avenue, if extended southerly, would intersect the charter line of the city of Oakland, thence northerly to and along the center line of Eighth avenue to the center line of Twenty-eighth (28th) street, thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Mathew avenue, thence north-easterly along the center of Mathew avenue to the center of Hopkins street, thence easterly along the center line of Hopkins street to the center line of Thirteenth avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of Millbury street, at the south-east corner of the lands of John Hampel, thence north-westerly along the southern line of the lands of John Hampel to the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships; thence south-westerly and southerly along said township line to the charter line on the southern boundary of the city of Oakland, thence easterly along said charter line to the beginning.

PRECINCT NO. 2, which shall consist of that portion of the Seventh ward of the City of Oakland, described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the center line of Eighth avenue if extended southerly would intersect the charter line of the City of Oakland, thence northerly to and along the center line of Eighth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth street, thence westerly along the center of East Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Mathew avenue, thence northeasterly along the center line of Mathew avenue to the center line of Hopkins street, thence easterly along the center line of Hopkins street to the center line of Thirteenth avenue, thence southerly along the center line of Thirteenth avenue to the center line of East Twenty-eighth street, thence westerly along the center line of East Twenty-eighth street to the center line of Eleventh (11th) avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Eleventh avenue to the center line of East Eighteenth street, thence easterly along the center line of East Eighteenth street to the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue, thence northerly along the center line of Twelfth (12th) avenue to the center line of East Twelfth street, thence easterly along the center line of East Twelfth street to the center line of Commerce street, thence southerly along the center line of Commerce street and its extension southerly to the charter line of the city of Oakland, thence easterly along the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street to the center line of Adeline street, thence southerly along the center line of Adeline street to the place of beginning, and

PRECINCT NO. 4, which shall consist of that portion of the Seventh ward of the city of Oakland bounded as follows: Bounded on the north by the center line of Twenty-second (22nd) street, on the east by the center line of Adeline street, on the south by the center line of Twelfth (12th) street, and on the west by the center line of Center street.

PRECINCT NO. 5, which shall consist of that portion of the Seventh ward of the city of Oakland, bounded as follows:

Beginning at a point on the line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships where it is intersected by the southern line of the lands of John Hampel, thence northerly and easterly along said line dividing Oakland and Brooklyn townships to its intersection with the easterly extension of the northern boundary line of the city of Oakland, thence easterly along said easterly extension to the center of Sausal creek, thence southerly along the center of Sausal creek to the easterly extension of the center of Milbury street on the charter line of the city of Oakland, thence westerly along the center of Milbury street to the southeast corner of the lands of Henry Hampel, thence northwesterly along the southern line of said lands of Hampel to the point of beginning.

And be it further resolved that public notice for 30 days (see Section 1130 Political Code, Title 2, Part 3,) be given by the publication of the foregoing preamble and resolution and the following notice and proclamation for 30 days next prior to the said General Election in the Morning TIMES, Oakland Evening *Enquirer*, *The Independent*, *Oakland Journal*, *Echoes* and Oakland Daily Evening *Tribune* and be it further resolved that the election herein before called for the 9th day of March shall be for the following Municipal officers and that this preamble and these resolutions shall constitute a notice of election and proclamation:

A Mayor.

A member of the Council by each of the seven wards of the city and four members-at-large, but no two of the latter shall be elected from any one ward.

A Board of Education by each of the seven wards of the city and four members-at-large, but no two of the latter shall be elected from any one ward.

An Auditor who shall be Ex-officio Assessor.

A Treasurer who shall be Ex-officio Tax Collector.

A Board of Trustees for the Free Public Library and Reading Rooms consisting of five members from the city at-large.

All the officers elected to hold for two years and until their successors are elected and qualified. The several polling places are hereby established and Inspectors, Judges and Clerks are appointed as follows, to wit:

FIRST WARD.

First Precinct—Location of polling place, 1753 Seventh street. Judges, P. A. Towne and E. W. Leonard. Inspectors, P. Daily and William Canty. Clerks, John Pepper and C. N. Harens.

Second Precinct—Location of polling place, 1758 Seventh street. Judges, A. A. McKeen and Richard Place. Inspectors, Eugene Winslow and H. K. W. Story. Clerks, Thomas Hockling and Thomas Heinneberg.

Third Precinct—Location of polling place, 1064 Seventh street. Judges, N. B. Hoyt and C. W. Shephard. Inspectors, W. H. Siedentoff and M. O'Farrell. Clerks, Charles Eitel and Thomas Heinneberry.

Fourth Precinct—Location of polling place, 1149 Center street. Judges, John Willebrand and Carl Bagge. Inspectors, Albert Hapken and George Janvern. Clerks, Robert Hennings and M. Hennings.

SECOND WARD.

First Precinct—Location of polling place, Golden West Hall. Judges, E. Sutherland and George Cox. Inspectors, Charles Hill and A. Bryant. Clerks, V. H. Wells and Burnside Diehl.

Second Precinct—Location of polling place, Northwest corner of Thirty-fourth street and Telegraph avenue. Judges, L. T. Farr and P. Bralley. Inspectors, John E. Watson and E. M. Eaton. Clerks, Webb N. Pearce and John F. Foster.

Third Precinct—Location of polling place, Northeast corner of Twenty-fourth street and San Pablo avenue. Judges, L. D. Manning and M. Richmond. Inspectors, John E. Rincke and O. W. Parker. Clerks, A. W. Smyth and L. McKenney.

FOURTH PRECINCT—Location of polling place, 1712 Telegraph avenue; Judges, F. S. Munroe and James Garrity. Inspectors, John L. Bromley and John Hampton. Clerks, Thomas Bromley and J. T. Smith.

FIFTH PRECINCT—Location of polling place, Piedmont Table Road engine house; Judges, J. B. Chestnut and O. S. Gerlick. Inspectors—J. B. Greif and Alfred Wood. Clerks—L. F. Cockroft, and J. G. Hoyt.

THIRD WARD.

FIRST PRECINCT—Location of polling place, 1205 Market street. Judges—H. A. Benson and A. J. Monteith. Inspectors—H. B. Sears and F. Fletcher. Clerks—J. C. Williams and W. J. Lyons.

Second Precinct—Location of polling place 852 Fourteenth street. Judges, H. Maloon and George T. Ainsworth. Inspectors, J. W. Morris and Thos. McGinley. Clerks, George Tyrrel and Albert W. Smith.

Third Precinct—Location of polling place, Nineteenth street and San Pablo avenue. Judges, Ed. F. Tinyer and L. T. Carr. Inspectors, H. Summers and W. D. Finnegan. Clerks, Wm. A. Moore and M. F. Keating.

FOURTH WARD.

First Precinct—Location of polling place, 1176 Seventh street. Judges, John Martins and John Troy. Inspectors, John McRae and James Henderson. Clerks, J. G. Poorman and J. E. Simms.

Second Precinct—Location of polling place, 854 Myrtle street. Judges, William F. Delaney and James Smith. Inspectors, James Clark and R. Gay. Clerks, G. L. Lacey and Hugh S. Smith.

Third Precinct—Location of polling place, 454 Market street. Judges, W. R. Thomas and Thomas Newman. Inspectors, C. P. Marsh and James Stanley. Clerks, William P. Slattery and R. D. Marshall.

Fourth Precinct—Location of polling place, 666 Seventh street. Judges, J. L. McCarthy and J. Winkler. Inspectors, P. Scully and G. T. Larabee. Clerks, M. Jones and C. F. Ott.

FIFTH WARD.

First Precinct—Location of polling place, City Hall. Judges, W. T. Hamilton and Thomas Johnson. Inspectors, S. S. Isenberg and E. Bernstein. Clerks, George A. Carter and David Stoddart.

Second Precinct—Location of polling place, White's stable, on Fourteenth, near Franklin street. Judges, A. Barstow and D. F. O'Connell. Inspectors, P. Thomson and B. McFadden. Clerks, C. H. H. Gladding and George Rice.

Third Precinct—Location of polling place, Schellhass' store, corner of Eleventh and Franklin streets. Judges, Joseph Harris and Randolph Cummins. Inspectors, M. Cleary and F. Brigham. Clerks, Thomas Arthur Crellin and L. C. Burnham.

SIXTH WARD.

First Precinct—Location of polling place, 560 Seventh street. Judges, J. K. Carpenter and P. H. Lamoreaux. Inspectors, James McElroy and Myles Duody. Clerks, John Rohn and George Samuels.

Second Precinct—Location of polling place, 388 Fourth street. Judges, R. E. Sullivan and H. A. Holland. Inspectors, Louis Schaffer and J. J. Callaghan. Clerks, J. L. Callaghan and D. F. Baker.

Third Precinct—Location of polling place, Gallindo Hotel, 498 Eighth street. Judges, C. W. Comer and John Hildinmonn. Inspectors, G. H. Tilley and F. S. Osgood. Clerks, Fred R. Moore and E. W. Miller.

Fourth Precinct—Location of polling place, 908 Eighth street. Judges, E. Rigney and John Coveny. Inspectors, J. C. Holland and M. Dudy. Clerks, J. Hirshberg and Frank Jacobs.

SEVENTH WARD.

First Precinct—Location of polling place, 277 East Twelfth street. Judges, J. W. Watson and H. R. Atwood. Inspectors, E. Haugle and J. B. Capell. Clerks, George Uhl and C. J. H. Luth.

Second Precinct—Location of polling place, 558 East Twelfth street. Judges, O. Whipple and A. W. May. Inspectors, F. H. McGrew and J. Jackson. Clerks, W. Walker and J. Dolan.

Third Precinct—Location of polling place, 624 East Twelfth street. Judges, F. Moyer and M. Callahan. Inspectors, W. Beale and T. Wheaton. Clerks, A. R. Wilkinson and J. Gray.

Fourth Precinct—Location of polling place, 1114 East Fourteenth street. Judges, L. M. Dos Marais and George P. Clough. Inspectors, J. E. White and V. Gillardin. Clerks, J. A. Rosborough and James M. Camp.

Fifth Precinct—Location of polling place, John Hampel's dwelling. Judges, Henry Miller and —, Burnmann. Inspectors, John Hampel and Cyrus Carmany. Clerks, J. H. Hampel and John Carmany.

Office of the Clerk of the City of Oakland, Feb'y 6th, 1891.

Signed: H. M. COLLINS,
President of the Oakland City Council.

Attest:
(SEAL.) J. M. BRADY,
Clerk of the City of Oakland

F. T. HALL,
House Painting, Paper Hanging,
WHITENING AND GLAZING.
GENERAL JOBBING.
1114 Webster St. bet. 12th and 13th Sts

Legal.

ORDINANCE NO. —.

An Ordinance Declaring Filbert Street in the City of Oakland, From the North Line of 21st Street to San San Pablo Avenue, an Open Public Street, and Establishing the Official Width of Sidewalks and Curb Grades Thereon.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF the City of Oakland as follows:

Section 1. Filbert street in the City of Oakland is hereby declared to be an open public highway and street, from the north line of 21st street continuously to the west line of San Pablo avenue, forty-eight feet wide.

Section 2. The official width of sidewalks upon said portion of Filbert street is hereby declared to be, and is established at twelve feet.

Section 3. The official curb grades upon said portion of Filbert street are hereby established at the following elevation above the city base, to-wit:

8 feet, east curb at north line of 21st street.

7 9-10 feet, west curb at north line of 21st street

NOETICAL NILES.

An Esteemed Contemporary the Boomerang.

THE SPICY DISHES OF A NOVEL MENU.

Exciting Events of Life in the Country Related in Rhyme—The News After the Rain.

Mrs. Bell is quite ill.

Mrs. L. E. Thane spent last Friday in San Francisco.

Mrs. John Rock of San Jose is visiting at the nursery.

Miss Mollie Easterday was visiting friends in San Jose last week.

Mrs. George Fisher has been slightly indisposed the past week.

H. G. Parsons of Oakland was in Niles and surrounding towns Saturday.

Mrs. W. B. Jenkins has been very ill the past ten days, but is now improving.

A party of four Niles young ladies took a drive about the township Saturday last.

Joseph Tyson returned Tuesday from Oakland, where he has been serving on a jury.

Justice Peters and his sister, Miss Peters were visiting in Petaluma this week.

Mrs. A. D. Cushman, Miss Florence Cushman and Miss Easterday spent Friday last in San Jose.

William Champion and family now take their drives abroad in a handsome new covered carriage.

A theater party of ladies is being made up to see *All the Comforts of Home* at the Baldwin next Saturday.

One and a half inches of rain fell in Niles during the recent storm, and now orchardists and farmers are happy.

Mr. Youngman and family, from Fruit Vale, have taken the Gooley cottage and will reside in Niles. Mr. Youngman has a brother here.

The second payment was made on the parsonage last Saturday. The pretty building is now about completed, except for the painting.

The water is not yet high enough in the creek to make the canyon road impassable and this beautiful drive is still open to excursionists.

Nilesites are glad to note that Miss Baker of the school is feeling enough at home with us to forego her former customary weekly trips to Oakland.

Niles district's share of the State School Fund this year is $946, which, with the county fund, will probably allow for nine full months of school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Maar will hold a reception Thursday afternoon of this week at the residence of James Shinn, where they will be glad to meet all their friends.

Mesdames Percy and Julian Jacobus went to Sunol, Saturday, to attend the Avery-Lawrence wedding. Mrs. Percy Jacobus played the wedding march on that occasion.

The Ladies' Guild met this week with Mrs. William Butt. The subject announced for consideration by the ladies was "In Darkest England." There was a good attendance.

The St. James Society met last Thursday with Mrs. Joseph Tyson and spent a busy day in planning work for the coming year. There were sixteen members present. Receipts for the day, $7 55.

The King's Daughters met last Saturday with Mrs. Chas. H. Shinn, but owing to the storm Mrs. Clark, State Superintendent of the Order, could not be with them as it was announced she would.

James Martin has sold his stable building and stock to Eph Tyson; consideration, $1000. Mr. Martin has purchased two lots next the stable, and will proceed at once to erect a new hotel there.

A petition has been prepared for signatures, as is to be found at Dickey's store, protesting against the proposed change in the law relating to roadmasters. A good many names have already been signed to it.

William Snyder has enough faith in the future of Niles to be willing to invest his money here, and in addition to his store, dwelling and other property in town he has recently purchased several town lots of the railroad company.

St. Valentine's day came last Saturday, but the tender significance of this day, which is full of poetic beauty, is fast being lost sight of in the craze for comic valentines with which the world at large, old as well as young, seems bound, once a year, to wound its friends and insult its enemies.

The current number of the *Illustrated Pacific States* is devoted to Alameda county, or at least to Eden and Washington township portions thereof. Niles has considerable space in the paper to the extent of a very readable article, a portion of which was contributed by a lady well known here.

It is good to note that in the midst of the general lack of interest manifested by the members of Alameda county's World's Fair Committee, Niles, at least, was not without a representative who desires to see some work done. At the recent meeting of the committee in Oakland, C. B. Overacker was present from this place. There are other members of the committee residing in Niles, however, who were absent. The members from all the towns should unite to give this county a creditable showing at Chicago.

Last Friday evening Mrs. Murray, who occupies a cottage near the schoolhouse, left home to visit a neighbor, first taking the precaution to lock up the house. Returning, she was greatly alarmed to find the front door open. She called out to know who was there, when a man rushed out, and in the darkness succeeded in getting away. Mrs. Murray could not identify the would-be burglar, and so, though a strange man who had been seen hanging about the place was arrested on suspicion, no evidence could be found on which to hold him, and he was released.

Rev. F. H. Maar and bride returned last Friday from their wedding trip. Mr. Maar conducted service as usual on Sunday. Subject for his morning sermon, "Growing in Grace," preceded, as is Mr. Maar's custom, by a talk to the children. The day was stormy, but did not deter a good congregation from assembling. Mrs. Thane rendered a solo, "Ave Marie," by Millard, in a delightful manner. The church was decorated with tender branches of the "Pussy Willow," set off by sprays of pink geranium, beautiful in their graceful suggestion of coming spring.

THE NILES "BOOMERANG."

The Niles Spare Minute Circle is an organization of bright young people residing in the charming village at the canyon's entrance. It meets once a week for regular business, and issues a quarterly record of events known as the Niles *Boomerang*, devoted to the dissemination of news, cultivation of taste and development of patience among the members of the circle.

The editor-in-chief has an able corps of assistants and associates, and that interest in the publication may never flag, a new staff is elected every quarter. The names of contributors are kept secret, and the *Boomerang* to all outside the charmed circle is a sealed book.

Hence it may be correctly inferred that THE TRIBUNE has never been honored with an exchange copy, but at the last reading of our esteemed contemporary a little bird of tenacious memory was present and flew away with *la creme de la creme* of its contents for the enlightenment of the outside world.

On this occasion, our little bird reports, the editor-in-chief who, by the way, is a shining light in the circle, made a modest introductory bow, and the first course of the coming literary feast was disclosed to be a soup of "Jingles from the *Boomerang*," from which our little bird culled the following, which shows the author's head to be quite level.

* * Our little preacher
Has taken himself a wife,
He's followed Mr. Adam's steps,
Deserted single life.
As he's our light and leader,
Our guide to joy and bliss,
I s'pose we all must follow him
Or seventh heaven miss.

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Oh dear, how Daddy Time does go,
Our Shinn is so, near,
And still he loves the tennis court,
But his courting don't appear.

'Tis a pity, truly, that those uncourting shinns apparently decline to propel their owner in the right direction, but should they do so might he not share the anxieties and despair of the unfortunate youth next referred to, as

Bright and stalwart Harry,
The handsome city lad,
Seems now and then to be at loss
Like some old village dad.
But don't you know, poor Harry,
That faint heart never wins?
That Grace and favor follow grit,
Which covers many sins?

Evidently what poor Harry needs is to "take heart of Grace," and the advice given him is excellent. The benighted condition of certain little ones in the neighboring village, who look to Niles for religious light and instruction is thus touchingly depicted:

Strange how the spirit of Dido
Is found in the youth of today,
Who start for Decoto on Sunday,
But generally stop by the way.
And the poor little innocent urchins
Who wait for theology new,
Are left in the lurch by the couple
Who Eve's old game play two by two.

There were other worthies still dished up in fine style, "in the soup," but our little bird hastened on to the next course, which proved to be a try of foreign news, gathered from the nets of the daily press, with a deal of pithy comment by way of sance *Tartare*. Stanley, Parnell, Gladstone, the Czar of all the Russians, and any number of smaller fishes are thus treated. Following this course come a quantity of advertisements, personal mention, etc., by way of *Hors d' Œuvres*, some of them highly spiced, as is desirable in these "Chisholm & Smith's home-made lemonade" is recommended as a desirable tipple. Some one has lost "a one-legged man," which the finder is requested to return to P. O. box No. 76. An opera hat, "good and sound," is offered for sale, and the village dressmaker advertises "suits made, handsomely draped, for $1." A "Review of Events in America" was then offered as the *piece de resistance*, and the manner in which it was served, our little bird declares, revealed the fact that the cook was of strong Democratic proclivities.

Entres were next in order, of which our little bird partook but sparingly, though with hearty enjoyment. Among them was a chapter on recent illustrations of tyranny in Russia by a member recently from that country, while the following items of current news were served as *epigramme of lamb, a la Friasse*:

"Apple blossoms will appear in April.
"Mrs. Brown's red hen laid an egg Saturday.
"Mr. Bose has put an addition to his new chicken coop. He says he will begin setting next week.
"Mr. Bright's infant son has cut another tooth, the second for week ending Thursday. The child has been named Molar, and Mr. B. says he intends making a dentist out of the boy when he grows up. The youngster certainly gives great promise, but if Mr. B. does not leave his baby home on Sunday in the future we will be constrained to express our opinion that he was cut out for a choir singer or a parlor organ."

The following is given as a school episode:

"Teacher: Now, pupils, I would like to have you call each other by your right names. Don't say 'Sam' when a boy's name is Samuel, or 'Lem' for Lemuel or 'Dan' for Daniel."

Small boy raising his hand: "Please, sir, may I sit with Jimuel?"

There were still other dainties our little bird enjoyed. He naturally fought shy of the game, though enjoying a morsel of the account of the Maar-Tyler wedding, by way of a dish of roasted duck, *stuffed with rice*, and who resist the rich bits of pastry that were offered and the dainty desert with its cocoanut kisses of verse and epigram, its whipped cream of wit and the delicious fruit of the Muse, with an after dinner cup in recreation? Our little bird could not, and from amid the wealth of dainties he carried away the following as a memento of the occasion:

WHY OUR INSURANCE CLERK DON'T MARRY.

I.

Your foot is the tiniest that trips, love,
Thro' the maddening maze of the waltz;
Two blossoming buds are your lips, love,
Your eyes say your heart is not false.

II.

Your hands are so dainty and white, love,
Your figure so wondrously fine.
That I'm tempted almost, but not quite, love,
To say: I adore, Oh be mine!

III.

But no, there's a frightening fear, love,
That will not allow me to speak,
You're spending three thousand a year, love,
I'm getting *twelve* dollars a week.

Alas, alas, that even in Niles, carking care lurks amid the oranges and the prunes, and the poor victim of a too expensive passion, must even "let concealment like a worm i' the bird," etc., etc.

But our space is at an end. Doubtless some members of the Spare Minute Circle would like to know the name of that little bird. They never will. They hurled their *Boomerang* into the air, and it was bound to come back. They always do. Long live our esteemed contemporary!

Used Offensive Language.

John Conlon was tried before Justice Ogden in the Police Court this morning for disturbing the peace of Mrs. Ratto and was found guilty. The prosecuting testimony was that he had called her a chippy Dago and a number of other foul names.

The Shoer to Blame.

Gee Hop, a Chinese washman, arrested for driving a lame horse, was acquitted by Justice Ogden this morning after a short trial, it being shown that the animal had just been shod before Secretary Theobald noticed it limping.

The Zem Zemmers Jaunt.

The Nobles of the Mystic Shrine in this city will leave on the 7 o'clock train for San Francisco to join the big Masonic theater party at the Baldwin. Sashes and insignia are the order of the evening, but there will be no zem-zem.

IN THE SUBURBS.

The Burglars Rampant in the Eastern Ward.

A NEW MEDLEY IN FAR WEST OAKLAND.

A Small Attendance at a Meeting in West Berkeley to Discuss the Charter.

BERKELEY.

Miss B. Meino is visiting Miss Moore.

Captain Butler is visiting his family while his vessel is in port.

J. J. Dunn lost one of his horses, the result of a recent runaway.

The electric railroad track is being repaired from the damage done by the rain.

A band composed of sixteen members has been organized. W. B. Wells is the leader.

J. Kenney, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is again able to attend to his business.

Constable Fonzo is in San Joaquin county looking for horse thieves who passed through here Monday morning.

A. Forbs has let the contract for the construction of a store on Choate street, between Bancroft and Alston streets.

Invitations to the marriage of Miss Evaline Johnson of Berkeley and Howard Wilmith of Oakland have been sent out.

J. Christ, who formerly conducted a small brewery at Fourth street and University avenue, and was closed up by the revenue officials, has been arrested for running an illicit brewery on the San Bruno road, South San Francisco. Christ's divorced wife now conducts a saloon at his old stand in Berkeley. It is understood that she owns the property where Christ has been operating his illicit brewery. The officer found that under his saloon floor, in a cellar basement, was a place where he manufactured beer and sold it without stamps or other permit of the Internal Revenue Department. Christ has been in trouble several times with the Government officials.

STATE UNIVERSITY.

The gymnasium is now furnished with a complete equipment for tug-of-war contests.

The following cadets have been transferred from privates of the second rank to privates of the first rank: Allen, C. A.; Blasdale, Brann, Goodyear, Henderson, Sleb, Sedgwick, Stewart, Dubbers, Stetson, Peart, Burkes and Webster.

The following privates of the first rank have been constituted signalmen of the first grade, and are permitted to wear crossed flags upon the left arm: Fitzgerald, Spurgeon, Carrel, Denicke, Lathrop, Houghton, Carpenter, F. L. Adams and Olney.

The football team as so far made up is composed of Hyde, Morrow, Foulks, Waite, H. Van Dyke, Eichbaum, Malone, Taylor and Hunt. Two more men and three subs are yet to be chosen. The team will play the San Francisco team Saturday at Central Park.

The class in Astronomy took a trip to Mount Hamilton a few days ago under the guidance of Professor Soule. They had a very pleasant as well as a very profitable trip. The class is composed of H. Ainsworth, W. Allen, A. Blake, Hilborn, Le Conte and Sprague, all of '91.

A meeting of the Durant-Neolean Society will be held Friday evening. A session of the Students' Congress will be held, and a resolution will be introduced by the ministry declaring Bering Sea a closed sea. A debate will also take place on the subject: "Has the Durant-Neolean an Excuse for Living?" J. G. Thompson will support the affirmative, and F. M. Greene the negative.

The Junior class held a meeting yesterday and elected the following officers: President, Haus; Vice-President, Miss B. Ryan; Secretary, R. Cohn; Treasurer, Palmer; Sergeant-at-Arms, Chapman; for Charter Day Speaker, Miss Baldwin. A report of the Junior Day Committee was received, by which it appears that the total expenditures were $208 10, and the total receipts $207 95.

The Senior class held a meeting yesterday and elected the following officers: President, Head; Vice-President, Miss Hamilton; Secretary, Ehrman; Treasurer, Thompson; Sergeants-at-Arms, Morrow and Seymour. J. C. Ainsworth was elected President of the Day for the Charter Day celebration. For orator of Charter Day Mr. Meeker was elected. Professor Joseph LeConte was elected representative of the Faculty and Charter Day.

WEST BERKELEY.

Captain Peterson, who has been sick and unable to go to sea, has left for the North.

The public meeting last night for discussion regarding the proposed charter was very poorly attended, so the lights were turned out at 9 o'clock and the meeting was postponed.

GOLDEN GATE.

James Landregan has returned from Plumas county.

Miss Gallagher is visiting at the residence of J. McManomy.

Miss A. Buffin and her cousin, Miss A. Crawford have returned to San Luis Obispo.

Miss J. Deickmann and little sister were thrown from a buggy yesterday, but were not injured.

LORIN.

Lent Shaw has moved into Mrs. Higgins' house in the Lorin Villa tract.

The Foresters initiated several new members last night in Arcade Hall. There was a large attendance.

Several copies of the new Sunday bill have been sent to some of the men of the town by Assemblyman Culver.

Dr. Atwood of Oakland, now with Dr. Kriechbaum, will commence the practice of dentistry here next Saturday in the Shaw block.

Vincent McCarthy, who ran a pick into his foot last Friday, is gradually improving under the judicious treatment of Dr. Rowell.

TEMESCAL.

The inmates of the Institute for the Blind have recently been vaccinated.

Louis Schultheis and Mr. and Mrs. M. West left this morning for South Bend, Wash.

Miss Maggie Armand and Miss Myrtle Libby have left the candy store and are at home.

Mrs. W. D. Brackman has returned from Haywards, where she has been visiting her sick mother.

The water company is laying pipes in Fortieth street, from Grove street to Telegraph avenue.

A case of diptheria is on Fortieth street. Dr. Bateau, the physician in attendance, says the patient is doing well.

Walter Belden, who is attending Santa Clara College, is home for a few days. His eyes are troubling him some, and he is having them treated.

Miss Tillie Valerga is in ill health at the home of her parents at Thirty-eight and Grove streets. She has not been singing in public for some time.

Howard Shaw is building a handsome house at Grove and Thirty-eighth streets. He is also the architect and builder of a pretty house of six rooms and bath with bay windows and unfinished basement at Grove and Fortieth street.

The interesting looking machinery for the electric railroad is all in place. The track is not built in the car house as yet, but the house itself is finished. Trolley wire is put up from the power house to Thirtieth street. Mr. Ramsey, an electrician whom the Edison Company has lately sent out from the East is in Stockton putting the motors in the cars. He will be down here in a few days.

Tessie, the little golden-haired daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rowan of Forty-third street, was buried from the Sacred Heart Church on Monday. Death was from typhoid pneumonia. Six of the little girls of the Sodality of the Infant Jesus, of which she was a member, acting as her pallbearers. The girl of the society, with their soft, white veils thrown over their heads, walked on each side the white hearse as it slowly moved from the church to Telegraph avenue. Deceased was nearly 11 years old, and always attended the St. Lawrence school. Father Serda remarked that he never had cause to reprove her for any misconduct there, and that he has been present at but few death beds where he felt so satisfied that it was well with them as he does in the case of little Tessie.

PIEDMONT.

A force of men has been put to work grading the road in Blair Park for the donkeys.

Mr. Percy's handsome residence, just constructed on Boulevard terrace, is ready to receive a garniture of paint.

The maze was slightly damaged by the wind and rain, and the canvas covering for the merry-go-round was torn in several places.

The water in the reservoir in Blair Park rose ten feet as the result of the recent rain. It has partially covered the path to Inspiration Point.

Some repairs were to be made on the Venetian canal at Blair Park. To this end a large asphaltum kettle was used on the hill. In an attempt to roll the cauldron down the hill it proved too heavy for the men and went to the bottom in pieces.

WEST OAKLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lipcomb are visiting relatives in the country.

The two children of Samuel F. Wise are very ill with malaria at their home.

The little daughter of Mrs. J. Brown, who has been seriously ill, is recovering.

O. G. Edstein will leave for Washington on Saturday to escort his mother and daughter home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson left for San Rafael yesterday to attend the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Jones of that place.

George W. Moosel and Henry Cavanaugh of Twelfth street left last evening for Texas, where they intend to make their home.

Mrs. Anna P. Dills, who has been spending a vacation in San Francisco, has returned to her home on Adeline street in company with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Elgin.

The rain has again flooded the lot on Magnolia and Twelfth street with water. When Twelfth street was raised to its official grade this lot and several adjoining ones were left several feet below the street level. All during last summer teams were busily engaged in hauling dirt to fill in the low land, but only a part of it has been raised to grade. The low land is filled with water, which is inhabitated with frogs, who sing pleasing little love ditties all night long. "McGinty," "Annie Rooney" and "That is Love" seem to be the favorite selections. The residents of this vicinity are getting tired of these noises and threaten to have the entire opera company "run in" for disturbing the peace.

EAST OAKLAND.

The Methodist Church at Twenty-third avenue, Rev. J. W. Wilson, pastor, will be dedicated Sunday, March 1st.

A social will be held in the parlors of the Pilgrim Church tomorrow, Friday, evening. A good programme will be presented.

The meeting of the Twenty-third Avenue Improvement Association was postponed last Tuesday evening owing to the rain. Councilman O. C. Kirk and Thomas W. Jeffress were the only members present.

The residence of Mr. Nixon on Twenty-second street was entered by burglars on Tuesday evening while the occupants were at the fire on Thirteenth avenue. The thieves entered the rear door of the house, and succeeded in carrying off a large amount of clothing. They also helped themselves to edibles stored in the pantry. While Mr. Nixon's residence was entered, thieves were at work on the front door of Olander's saloon on Twelfth street, near Thirteenth avenue. This is in the most conspicuous place of all the business portion of East Oakland. An electric light tower is located a few feet away, and Callohon's Hotel, which was recently entered by burglars, is directly opposite. The saloon door was forced open with an iron pick which was left on the counter. The robbers lighted the gas and remained in the saloon apparently about an hour, and then left by the rear door. The till was emptied of $6 in cash, while a fine gold watch and chain, with a quantity of wines and liquors, were also carried off. Mr. Olander left but a small sum in the till last night, as he used the day's receipts, consequently not a large amount of cash was taken. There is evidently a thoroughly organized gang of burglars working in East Oakland. The fire was undoubtedly kindled by them to draw the attention of the police and citizens in another direction while they proceeded with the burglary undisturbed.

GOOD FOR HOLLAND.

He Captures the Burglar Who Visited the Pardee Place.

Detective Holland has another feather in his cap, for he last night arrested a man for whom the police have been in search for several days past. It will be remembered that a few days ago there was a burglary at the Pardee ranch, a quantity of clothes being stolen, and last night as Denny Holland was passing down Broadway he saw a man come out of the pawn shop at the corner of Third street. The man appeared to be hiding something under his coat, so Holland arrested him and found that he was concealing a vest that proved to have been just stolen from the pawnshop. On searching the fellow further the detective recognized on him some of the clothes stolen from the Pardee place, so the man, who gave his name as Dick Jones was booked at the City Prison for burglary.

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The thirtieth anniversary of the organization of the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church was celebrated by an annual church and congregational meeting last evening, in the chapel of the handsome edifice at the corner of Twelfth avenue and Fifteenth street, East Oakland. A supper was served to all from 6 to 7:30 P. M., and at 8 o'clock the evening meeting commenced with a hymn. Rev. Dr. Chapman, pastor of the church, then made a few appropriate remarks in the course of which he said: "Permit me to congratulate you, friends and fellow-church members that we have assembled at another annual meeting. Thirty years ago today this church was organized. Nearly one-third of a century of life has been enjoyed and there never has prevailed such good brotherly and sisterly feeling in the church as at present. We meet under peculiar circumstances tonight, it having been decided to read the reports of the church, on the Sunday evening preceding the annual meeting and not at the regular meeting as heretofore, but owing to the severe weather it was decided to defer reading them until tonight, and as some of the reports are not here we will be unable to know the condition of the church. Some of the reports will be read next Sunday night, when the work of the church and Sunday school will be brought forward. We have much to thank the Lord for. We have been sparingly visited with afflictions, although many in the congregation are now very ill. One family of the church is in great distress tonight over the death of the wife and mother. The name of the family is Kent. I will remember the young lady, who was organist of the Tabernacle Church while I was connected there. Although they were united with the First Church, several of their family came amongst us. The first white settler in Oakland, from whom this lot was purchased, tonight is no more on this earth. He reserved this lot out of all his property until good fortune brought it into our hands. Tonight Moses Chase, the oldest inhabitant of Oakland, lies dead. We all see this chandelier which sheds its brilliant light into this room. James Hutchison gave us that. How well I remember the time and the words with which he spoke to me about it. He said: 'I want to buy something that will stay here after I am gone. Something which will sometime cause you to think of me.' So, although he was not a member of the church, but simply a friend, he laid down $100 for this beautiful light.

"We have so much to be thankful for, how can we appreciate the goodness of God. May the soul grant that this be the most harmonious annual meeting we ever had."

After a prayer and a hymn, the pastor stated that the object of the meeting was to hear what reports were to be presented and to elect officers for the ensuing year.

A. J. McKnight was then declared secretary of the meeting.

The report of the Treasurer, H. H. Lawrence, for the year ending January 31, 1891, was read, showing the following statistics: General Fund—Receipts, $5776 01; expenditures, $5779 80; overdrawn, $3 79. Building Fund for the year ending January 31, 1891—Amount on hand, $565 50; receipts, $1162 40; disbursements, $330 50; cash on hand, $1397 20. The Benevolent Fund not yet distributed amounts to $250, which together with $150 already given gives a total of $400 spent for missions during the year.

Average monthly expenditures are $481 60; average monthly receipts, $430 60; deficits, $41.

The report was approved and accepted.

The election of officers was next in order. The Trustees, H. H. Lawrence, C. H. Daily, and J. H. Thomas, were unanimously re-elected to succeed themselves for a term of three years. The elders, J. C. Adriance, A. L. Taylor, also were re-elected. The terms of the re-elected deacons were changed by the ballot from one to three years—Robert Stuart one year; A. J. McKnight, two years; C. J. Welch, three years. Mrs. Hamilton was elected historian.

Short addresses were then delivered by several, in which well-deserved compliments were paid to H. H. Lawrence, the Treasurer, and a vote of thanks was tendered him for the efficient and faithful performance of the duties of his office. Mrs. Hamilton moved that a Chautauqua salute be used as a method of voting, whereupon, after the question was put, the entire congregation arose and waved their handkerchiefs. Overwhelmed by this unusual evidence of appreciation, Mr. Lawrence thanked the congregation for the compliment. Then all joined in the old hymn "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," after which Dr. Chapman pronounced the benediction and the meeting adjourned.

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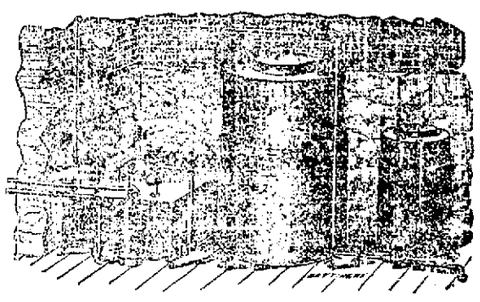

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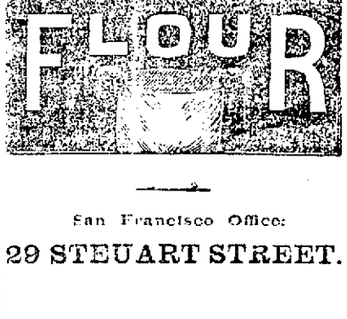

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